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COMPENSATION ACT IS OLIVER'S SPEECH

Suggestion Offered by Former Member

IMPORTANT PROVISION OF LIBERAL PLATFORM

resent Act Limited in Scope and Open to Too Much-Legal Attack

SUGGESTS INDUSTRIAL INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

Nelson, Jan. 30.-John Oliver, ex-M P.P. for the Delta, arrived here yesterday with H. C. Brewster, the Liberal party leader in British Columbia, and addressed a large meeting here last night. Mr. Brewster was again heard, but spoke briefly and then gave the

but spoke briefly and then gave the platform to Mr. Oliver. Both speakers were accorded a magnificent reception.

Mr. Oliver devoted some attention to the plank in the Liberal platform providing for the adoption of an adaquate workman's compensation act. On this point he said:

"I desire to draw your attention to one of the most important provisions of the Liberal platform, namely, the creation of a department of labor under the personal supervision of a responsible minister of the crown. The duties of this department would be to keep thoroughly informed in respect of all the conditions of employment; to see that the protection laws were properly enforced; to recommend and secure the passing of needed legislation for providing additional safeguards for prevention of accidents and disease, and generally to protect the finiterests of labor throughout the province.

"I now come to what-to my mind is of the utmost importance, the province, and the workers of this province, the province, the province, the province, the province, the province of the utmost importance, to the workers of this province, the province of the cases of their death. It is true that we have a for those dependent upon them in case of their death. It is true that we have a folicy of the more colored to their death. It is true that we have a folicy of the more colored to the residency of the maniger in which the partices are the manier in which the province, and the province of their death. It is true that we have a for those dependent upon them in case of their death. It is true that we have a for the manier in which the province of their death. It is true that we have a for the province of their death. It is true that we have a for the manier in which the province of their death. It is true that we have a for the province of their death. It is true that we have a for the province of their death. It is true that we have a for the province of their death. It is true that we have a for the province of their death. It is true that we have a for th

those dependent upon them in case of their death. It is true that we have a Workman's Compensation Act upon the statute book at the present time, but it is very limited in its scope. There are so many doubts as to its applicability in any specific case, and results in so much litigation that it is probably more injurious than beneficial in the aggregate.

Authentic statistics, covering a period of seven years, show that in the state of Washington 48 per cent. of the amount paid in premiums to the casu ality companies reach the injured workmen. From this must be de-ducted litigation expenses, and in many cases the injured workman fails to receive anything. About three years ago the state of Washington provided industrial insurance for a limited number of classes of employees, and this system of insurance provides certain and prompt compensation for in-jured workmen. Litigation between employer and employee is abolished: 91.8 per cent. of the premiums paid by 91.8 per cent. of the premiums paid by employers are available for compensa-tion purposes. —The Liberals of this province propose to adopt the same principle as that of Washington, but will extend the scope of the law to include all hazardous employments and simplify many of the working details

partment of industrial insurance. This department will be administered by department will be administered by commissioners. These commissioners will be as far as possible free from political influence; will hold office during good behavior and only will be removable for cause. These commissioners will administer the law which will provide that employers shall pay an insurance premium based upon the amount of their pay-roll and the hazand of their employment. If an acci-dent occurs whereby a workman is in-jured the accident is reported to the Medical attendance will be provided at the cost of the department. Compensation from the insurance fund is at once available. There will be no quarreling, no litigation and no ill feeling. No one will be intersted in depriving the workman of his

FIELDING MAY ENTER POLITICAL ARENA AGAIN

HON. W. S. FIELDING

NEIGHBOR WANTED LAND

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LIUAN CHOW IS SACKED

Missionary With Wife and Childe

Escape but Others Still

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religion of China. Much of the organ-zed effort in this country to prevent such action centred in this city, "There is nothing very surprising in Yuan Shi Kai's action," said Rev. S. Dobbins, missionary secretary of the

AND PURCHASE MONEY

Liberal Club at Nelson Hears Reported That Former Minister of Finance Will Sit in Commons for Yarmouth

> Refusal to Accept Newspaper Presidency Causes Stir in Montreal To-day

Ottawa, Jan. 30.—There is a rumo -day at the capital to the effect that Hon. W. S. Fielding, late minister finance in the Laurier government. finance in the Laurier government, and who yesterday resigned from the po-sition of editor of the Montreal Tele-graph, will be back again in parlia-ment before very long.

The report states that Mr. Fielding will seek fe-election for parliament in the constituency of Yarmouth, N. S., which, it is stated, the present Liberal member, B. B. Law, will resign in his Yarmouth is considered by the Liberals to be an absolutely safehaving been consistently Liberal since Confederation. Mr. Law, at the last-federal election, defeated K. A. Cros-by, the Conservative candidate, by about eleven hundred majority.

Mr. Fielding's refusal to take the plaintiff had obtained foreclosure and presidency of the merged paper divides resold the land he could not enforce interest with the startling announce-ment of the resignation of the three accused members at Quebec. E. Beck, former president of the Herald, and the writer of the famous expose articles in the Mail, left here for Quebec last night to give his evidence.

NEARLY HALF MILLION SURPLUS FOR MANITOBA

Hon. Hugh Armstrong Speaks Cheer fully of Financial Future for Province.

Winnipeg, Jan. 30.—Hon. Hugh Armstrong, provincial treasurer, brought lown the budget in the Manitoba legisature yesterday afternoon. He place the surplus for the year ending Noember 30, 1913, at \$473,221.19, the revenue being \$5,788,069,98, and the con-solidated revenue expenditure \$5,314. \$65.79. The estimates for the year end-ing November 30, 1914, call for \$7,725.791. Mr. Armstrong stated that Manitoba nding the financial stringene was standing the manufactural straights, as well as any other province in the Dominion. The farmers had had good crops, Winnipeg's bank clearings for the past year were larger than those of Toronto, and he had no hesitation in declaring that when the hand o the business dial again pointed to nor mal, Manitoba would get into its strict faster than any other part of the world.

ASQUITH GOVERNMENT ATTACKED AT GLASGOW

Deportation of South African Labo Leaders Subject of Debate in Labor Conference.

London, Jan. 30.—The labor conference at Glasgow yesterday defeated a roposal favoring proportionate represented for the feature of the day, however, was the discussion upon the deportation of the labor leaders from South Africa, with the masses.

"I do not anticipate any trouble for our mission workers as a result also." London, Jan. 30,-The labor confer the discussion upon the deportation of sested in depriving the workman of his just due. If the injury results in death funeral expenses will be furnished, and the dependents of the deceased workman will be provided for.

"I feel absolutely certain without inflicting any undue hurden on indutry that an immense amount of misery relieved by the adoption of this proposal, which I now submit to you. This whole matter has been carefully thought out. It has been adopted and reaffirmed at our last two, annual conventions, and I hope very shortly to see the principle adopted and incorporated in the statute law of British Columbia, and if so I can assure you that I firmly believe that the result will be (Concluded on page 15)

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MUTTER RETIRES MONRO SUCCEEDS

Head of Provincial Jail Gives Over Wardenship to Nanaimo Official

RETIRING WARDEN HAD INTERESTING CAREER

Hoped to Have Seen Transfer of Prisoners to Wilkinson Road

OFFICIALS CONFERRED AT BUILDING TO-DAY

Major Mutter, warden of the provin cial jail here, has been superannuated having passed the age limit, and is about to be succeeded by Warden John Munro, of the provincial jail at Nanaimo. The change takes effect at once, Mr. Munro being in consultation with Major Mutter this morning on the

Major Mutter stated this morning VILLA MASSES TROOPS he remain till the new jail now being built on the Wilkinson road would b ready for occupation, and he certainly noped to have started the institution in its new home. However, he has found it necessary on account of illhealth to hasten the date of his retirement.

Major Mutter with the institution of which he has been the head for the past ten years will break a link in the chain which binds the older generation on the bound the older generation of Victorians to the present day. He proposes to retir to his farm at Somenos, near Duncan, where his family reside. He is, however, to be followed by an experienced official in Mr. Munro, who comes with direct experience of present the present of the prese prison management.

Major Mutter this morning stated that he looked with considerable re-gret upon his departure from duty, but he felt that the time had come for his resignation. There had not been many events of exceptional interest in his tenure of office, he added, but the fire two years ago, when the north wing was destroyed, happily without loss of life, had greatly reduced the accommo-dation, and the wing had never been redation, and the wing had never open re-built on account of the intention to make the Wilkinson road building pre-vide for future offenders. There had not, however, been a serious pressure on the accommodation till the coal BY CHINESE BANDITS strike last summer brought many niners into the custody of the staff, miners into the custody of the star, and the jall had then proved inadequate to house them. At one time there were over 100 in custody with an accommedation for about 80. However, with the despatch of many to New Westminster relief had been thousand bandits sacked and burned found for the situation. land mission, with his wife and chil-

than those at the jail now.

in the looted city, but it is believed they have not been injured. The brigands apparently are connected with the bands commanded by "White Wolf," who have for a considerable time been ravaging the eastern part of the prov-ince of Honan. led a varied and strenuous life. He comes from the county of Argyleshire, Scotland. Early in life he emigrated to Australia. In the back block stations of the Riverina, the vast area which es along the Murray banks, he found experience as a Jackeroo in the oush life which fitted him well for fur-MOVE BY YUAN SHI KAI ther activities in later years. Far re-moved from communal life and social influences; he spent a considerable time in the Riverina, wilder then than it is o-day, but to those early days he still looks back with pleasure. Then he returned to Scotland, was engaged in ousiness and had his first taste of pub-ic work in the institutions of the county of which he is a native. He holds his rank as an officer of the arbut no surprise was expressed to-day by men here interested in foreign mis-sions when they learned of the estab-dishment of Confucianism as the state illery volunteer corps in that section of Scotland

Desiring to find some avenue for hi family, he came to British Columbia and settled at Somenos, about 23 years ago. He entered the legislature by ac-clamation for Cowichan at the general ago. He entered the legislature by ac-clamation for Cowlichan at the general election of July, 1894, and served through that transition period when the old Parliament buildings were 4e-serted for the present magnificent pile. serted for the present magnificent pile. In politics he was an independent, and sat in the house during the premierships of Hon. Theodore Davie and Hon. J. H. Turner. He sat through the seventh parliament, and then retired to his farm. Later he received the present appointment from which he now retires after services which are recognized by officials and the public alife. He has received from the attorney-general and from the provincial prison inspector expressions of appreciation inspector expressions of appreciation

district with headquarters at Fernie, as by the district chief constable. He saw the area,

J. NORTON GRIFFITHS WILL GIVE UP SEAT



London, Jan. 39 .- J. Norton Griffith

FOR TORREON ATTACK

Bulk of Main Rebel Army Now Encamped at Escalon Being Joined by Others

Juarez, Mex., Jan. 30.-Movements the rebels toward Torreon began on a large scale to-day. The bulk of their main army had encamped at Escalon, more than half way southward from Chihuahua, along the Mexican National rallroad, and more troops were join ing them from the states of Durang and Coahulla. At the same time rebels were reported drawing in from the eastward with a view of attacking Sal-

tillo and thus cutting off the federa communication from Monterey. General Villa, as military command-er-in-chief, directed the disposition the troops with the intention of joining and personally commanding in the attack on General Velasco's federal gartack on General veiasco's receral gar-rison. It is likely that an attack on Saltillo will precede that on Torteon and that the general engagement at Torreon will follow only after several days of vigorous skirmishing.

Villa, with headquarters in Juarez, to-day said he did not expect to go

announced to-day that the battleships Virginia, Rhode Island, Nebraska and found for the situation.

Major Mutter paid a tribute to the work of his staff, and said that no man could have a better set of attendants

Vera Cruz.

Like many other pioneers of Van-SHAKEN UP BY METEOR

Strikes in Mountains Fifteen Miles From City With Terrible

Albuquerque, N. M.: Jan. 30 .- At 7.30 ast night a blazing meteor of large size sped over the city earthward, size sped striking in the mountains about fifteen niles east of the city. The meteor exploded with terrible detonation and shook the city with such force as to cause great excitement, many persons believing a terrific explosion had occurred somewhere in the city.

Houses were shaken while windows and dishes rattled. Telephone messages from the vicinity where the meteor struck the earth, report that the

eor struck the earth, report that the orce of the explosion was so intense as to strike terror to residents of the earned to-night no damage resulted.

PRONOUNCED EARTHQUAKE RECORDED AT GEORGETOWN

FORTY-NINE DROWNED IN COLLISION OF STEAMERS OFF COAST OF VIRGINIA

Old Dominion Company Has First Fatality in Fifty Years History of Line-Monroe Sinks in Ten Minutes When Rammed by Nantucket

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 30.—Forty-nine persons were drowned to-day when the Merchants' & Miners' liner Nantucket sunk the Old Dominion liner Monroe. Wireless lists forwarded by Captain Johnson, of the Monroe, returning with the survivors on the Nantucket, show: Lost passengers, 36; crew, 24. Saved: Passengers, 36; crew, 24. Saved: Passengers, 36; crew, 55. Total, 35., Captain Johnson, of the sunken Monroe, and all his officers but one were among the saved. The lost officer was Second Officer Gatley.

The Nantucket is damaged in the stern and bow, and according to a later wireless message is being condition.

The collision occurred near the Winternand Stephenson of the Stern and bow, and according to a later wireless message is being condition.

The collision occurred near the Winternand Stephenson of the Captain Johnson, D. Clark, E. Martin, P. Nichola, B. Davis, W. Carter, T. Sturgiss. Stewards' department: Wm. Spillvan, Stewards' department: Wm. Spillvan,

chance to realize that a fatality was pending before they were struggling in the sea. The doomed passengers of the Monree, fast asleep in their cabins when the two vessels came together, were drowned practically before they realized the extent of the accident. Only those kept awake by the siren that serit the useless vernitures through the series of \$2.704 gross and \$2.896 net together. that sent the useless warnings through the fog knew when the vessel struck. The rest, thrown from their berths by the force of the collision, had bare-

ly time to struggle to the deck of the in time to struggle to the deck of the sinking vessel before they were plunged into the water. Not ten minutes intervened between the time the bow of the Nantucket crashed its way into the side of the Oid Dominion iner and the time the latter slid under he waves. The rescued were lifted out of the lcy water after their vessel

ad gone down. Both vessels had quieted down for the night hours before the collision. Captain Berry, on the bridge of the Nantucket, and the lookout, had the deck to themselves as the vessel slowly steamed through the fog and mist. aptain Johnson kept on the bridge of

he Monroe.

As the Nantucket stakgered back after the shock, Captain Berry swung his searchlight and dimly the bulk of the settling Monroe loomed up through

Uncertain as to the fate of his own ressel, he ordered out the life-boats. Aided only by the shricks of the frowning the boats picked up the surglow brought to view no more strug-gling figures, and when the shouts of the life-boat crews. brought no an-swering shouts from the sea the task

was given up. With her saloon crowded with drenched and suffering men and women the Nantucket turned her prov outhward and soon fell in with the Old Dominion liner Hamilton, answering the cry of distress. Convoyed by the Hamilton, she will be in port late

The shock and the exposure proved grave trial to many of those saved Wireless messages report a number in a serious condition. The Monroe is the first steamer lost

by the Old Dominion Line during the half-century it has been in operation. the line that the life of a passenger has been lost at sea. The steamer was valued at approximately \$250,000 and her cargo at as much more, making the total loss, exclusive of lives, about

1,000,000.

Mrs. T. J. Woods, the only Norfolk on the vessel for New York in the hope of reaching the bedside of her husband before he died. The fate of Mrs. Woods was not known to-day when a telegram from New York told-of the death of her husband.

The following is a list of the passen-gers who perished on the Monroe: Mrs W. L. Bolton, Newark, N. J.; W. O Clausen, Milwaukee, Wls.; Legrand B Clausen, Milwaukee, Wis.; Legrand B. Curtis, first lieutenant Second Coast Artiliery, Watervliet arsenal, New York; F. C. Davis, Brooklyn, N. Y.; J. Edwards, United States navy; E. D. Gorman, Philadelphia; Mrs. D. Gibson, New York; J. Haskell, Cortlandt, N. Y.; Miss Haviland, Macaria Theaffical Company, W. H. Lagrain, Sumter S.C. Washington, D. C., Jan. 30.—A pronounced earthquake was recorded on
the Seismographic instruments of
Georgetown university last night. The
disturbance began at 10.56 and continued until 11.44 o'clock. The observers
estimate that the tremors were about
2,000 miles distant in a northwesterly
direction.

Initial stages of the great strike in the
Crow's Nest coalfields, but was called
The list of the rescued is as follows:

Initial stages of the great strike in the Thos. R. Harrington, died after rescued. The new warden, whose appointment is gazetted to-day, has had between 15 and 16 years in the provincial service. He was associated with the Vancouver office several years ago on entering the provincial police service, and then was promoted to the Southeast Kootenay district which headquarters at Fernic, as district chief constable. He saw the

built at Newport News, Va., in 1909. She was of 2,704 gross and 2,896 net tennage. Her length was 476 feet 9 tonnage. Her length was 476 feet 9 inches, 46 feet 2 inches beam and 28 feet 6 inches deep. She was commanded by Capt. E. E. Johnson, Guy Hensley, first officer; J. E. Gatley, second officer, and John Perkins, chief engineer. The Monroe had a capacity of 245 first and second-class passengers.

The property loss Court is lossed.

The property loss, Captain James Leyland, superintendent of the main-line division, thought would be about 1225,000, exclusive of the freight carried and the baggage of the passengers and crew.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 30 -- An investigation of the causes and circum-stances resulting in the collision of the steamers Monroe and Nantucket, was ordered to-day by the department of

New York, Jan. 30.-The Macaria Theatrical company, six of members perished in the Monr aster, was sent out by William Woods, now in Boston, as manager of the Bos-ton theatre. It opened the season re-cently at Newport News, Va. The cently at Newport News, Va. The play was a dramatization of a novel of the Southern Confederacy by Augusta Evans. The dramatist was Charles M. Jelleft, of Baltimore, who was among those who met death. The Miss Haylland in the list-of dead was Miss Hilda Haviland, leading lady of the production, a New York girl.

TO RATIFY TREATIES OF TWENTY-FOUR NATIONS

United States Senate Committee Deals With Question of Arbitration.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 30.-The cte foreign relations committee voted to-day to recommend immediate rati-dication of general arbitration treaties with Great Britain, Japan and other nations, 24 treaties in all. These have been, pending since last su origina

The treaties are 24 in number as folows: China, Denmark, Great Britain, Italy, Japan, Mexico, Netherlands, Norway, Peru, Portugal, Salvador, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Austria-Hur Costa Rica, Hayti, Paraguay, Argen-tine Republic, Bolivia, Ecuador, Uruguay, Chile and Brazil.

The treaty with Great Britain had been held up because some feared its

een held up because some ration at atification might force arbitration at The Hague of the Panama canal tolls

President Wilson's attitude on 'that question is generally understood to be that this provision is a violation of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty. Congress may settle the dispute either by reealing the free passage claus

pending its operation pending diplo-matic negotiations.

The California alien land question was indirectly involved in the Japan-ese arbitration treaty, but the admin-istration view that the controversy practically it at end settled the minds of the majority of the foreign relations committee in so far as the general arbitration treaty with Japan was concerned.

BRITISH EMIGRANTS COME VIA CONTINENT

ion, Jan. 30.—The pass

lic Works That Have Pre-

viously Been Announced

French river improvements, this being

step in the direction of the Georgia

Amongst the larger public works are

new departmental buildings, for which \$1,000,000 is set aside. There is \$500,000 ronto. For the new customs buildings ronta. For the new customs buildings

Montreal there is a vote of \$850,000, and for the Ottawa customs house \$750,-

tem of \$150,000 to assist in the con-ervation and development of deep sea

expenses of the National City Planning

engress to be held in Canada this For the protection of timber and for-

nd Saskatchewan secured an increase

lic building, \$15,000; Vancouver, examdrill hall, \$100,000; Vancouver, exam-lining warehouse, \$10,000; Vancouver, drill hall, \$100,000; Vancouver, new de-tention building, \$150,000; Vancouver, old post office building addition, \$5,900;

Vancouver, public building improve ments, \$10,000; Vancouver, postal sta

ments, \$10,000; Vancouver, postal station "B," \$125,000; Vancouver, postal station "C," \$45,000; Vancouver, public buildings, Improvement, etc., \$5,000; Vancouver south, postal station "D," \$60,000; Victoria, new drill hall, \$15,-600; Victoria, observatory, \$16,000; Victoria, \$

toria, post office improvements, \$100,000; William Head quarantine station

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Offer in Court to His Former Wife

Chicago. Jan. 30.—A proposition to pay Mrs. Grace Guggenheim-Wahi 728.000 alimony, or at the rate of \$500 a month since March 20, 1901, when she was divorced from William Guggenheim, of the mining family of that name, was made in Judge McGoorty's court here yesterday by Stephen S. Gregory, representing Guggenheim as his attorney. Mrs. Guggenheim wahi has been in the courts almost constantly since the divorce, attempting to have is annulled, on the grounds that it was obtained by collusion among the partites at interest.

Judge McGoorty said that he was not in accord with the decision of Judge Heard, who some months ago declined to vacate the decree and that he was in doubt about sitting in the case at all.

In addressing the court Attorney

Ottawa, Jan. 30.—The main estimates were tabled in the House of Commons ty esterday afternoon and will be followed later by the supplementary list. For the Victoria observatory there is he avered \$10,000, and for post office to the victoria observatory there is he avered \$100,000, and for post office to the William Head quarantine station, \$1,100.

175,500 has been set aside for the William Head quarantine station, \$1,100.

18250,000 for the Esquimait dry-dock.

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is usual, a considerable portion of this year's estimates are revotes of sums feels which were appropriated last year and whole had been and whole and canal and the development of national ports. For the National Transcaptional ports. hat an adjustment ought to be made. His name has been bandled about the

country in a scandalous manner and-he is desirous of having the whole matter cleared up."

An appeal from Judge Heard's de-cision now rests with the appellate court of Cook county, as does a petition of the state's attorney to be allow-ed to intervene in the case as a friend of the court, alleged to have been im-

osed on in 1901.

Judge McGoorty announced that he ould not consider the motion until \$7,500,000 for the Intercolonial railway. after the appellate court has acted.

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William Guggenheim Makes Sums Named for Victoria Pub- Ontario Millers' Delegation Blames Shipping Pool for Flour Trade Conditions

> the opposition for free wheat, as em-bodied in the amendment to the ad-dress moved by Dr. Neely, Liberal member for Humboldt, was rejected on division in the house by a governof ment majority of forty-five. This was Wil-one larger than the majority of Sir 100. Wilfrid Laurier's amendment. Mr. and Maclean, of South York, deserted the

with the exception of Mr. Rainville, of Chambly-Vercheres, and Mr. Maclean, all the talking was done by western Liberals.

Mr. MacNutt, of Saltcoats, led. off, and before the division bell rang he had received the support of Mr. Douglas of Stratters. Douglas, of Strathcons, Dr. Warno of Macleod; Mr. Buchanan, of Let bridge, and Mr. Cruise, of Dauphin. One and all of the western men the people of the west were in favo of free wheat this should be given. They maintained that it would do no harm to eastern interests, not ever the millers.

Mr. Cruise stated that instead of

talking about the teaching of the tional ports. For the National Trans-continental there is \$8,000,000 this year, For terminals and elevators of the Hudson's Bay railway there is a vote of \$4,500,000. The new Welland canal is yoted \$4,000,000. There is a vote of \$3,000,000 for the Quebec bridge and rivals of other countries. He declared that it was time the manufacturer were taken off the backs of the tiller of the soil

Mr. Rainville contended that the west owes a great deal to the east. The operation of the Wilson tariff was depleting Canada of cattle, which was bad thing.

\$7,500,000 for the Intercolonial railway. For the commencement of Toronio harbor improvements there is a vote of. \$1,000,000. There is \$1,000,000 for Vancouver and a like sum for Port Arthuand Fort William. For a new dry-dock at Quebec another \$1,000,000 is set aside, and for Halifax terminals \$2,500. At the co the vote, the address in reply to the speech from the throne was adopted. The house rose at 6 o'clock, in oraside, and for Halitax terminais \$2,500,-000 are appropriated. St. John harbor improvements call for \$3,900,000. For dry-docks at Halifax and Esquimait there are votes of \$250,000 -cach, and there are also votes of \$500,000 for der that the members might attend the

state ball at government house A delegation of the Ontario Millers' issociation met a large number of numbers in room No. 16, the Conservative headquarters, yesterday, to disyeus the question of free wheat, brought before the house in the amendment of Dr. Neely. The delega-tion pointed out that the milling ex-port trade had been practically refined

by the new freight rate regulations adopted by the British shipping pool in raising the rates on flour so high that wheat was shipped instead. The increased wheat was ground in Britain, which also gets the benefits of

ain, which also gets the benefits of the by-products. As a result the On-tario and Canadian export flour trade was failing off at an aiarming rate. Free wheat, it was said, is only of value for export. The United States servation and development of deep sea fisheries, and to provide for better transportation of fresh fish.

Among new votes is \$40,000 for inspec-tion of Canadian fishing, Other items include \$40,000 to assist in suppressing the white slave traffic. A grant of \$7,500 is included in the vote for defraying has as much hard wheat as Canada The only result of the Canadian free wheat would be to give the Chicago

sons wherein to fill his contracts.

The crux of the situation, the delest reserves there is an increase of over 199,999, the total now being \$569,090. the subsidies voted to the provinces mount to \$11,258,369. Manitoba's subgation claimed, lies altogether in the Atlantic rates. Until these formed by drastic measures on the part of Canada, and perhaps the Unit-ed States, the Canadian farmer, the idy is decreased \$49,365, white Alberta American farmer and the milling inof \$141,146 and \$158,854 respectively. On-tario's subsidy is unchanged at \$2,-396,678. dustry would suffer in consequence. So soon as farming for export was re-duced, so soon would there be less farming for local consumption as well.

Votes for public buildings in the principal cities of British Columbia are: The appointment of a king's printer in succession to the Ashcroft, public buildings, \$25,000; comox, public buildings, to complete, in succession to the late Charles Parmalee is expected to be made next Comox, public buildings, to complete, \$4.000; Courtenay, public buildings, \$20,000; Courtenay, public buildings, \$20,000; Courtenay, public buildings, \$20,000; Fernic, drill hall, \$30,000; Kamloops, public building, \$75,000; Kelowna, public building, \$75,000; Mesritt, public building, \$25,000; Mesritt, public building, \$20,000; Merritt, public building, \$20,000; Manaimo, public building, \$25,000; New Westminster, public building, \$25,000; New Westminster, public building, \$25,000; New Westminster, public building, \$35,000; Powell River, public building, \$35,000; Powell River, public building, \$35,000; Prince Rupert, drill hall, \$30,000; Prince Rupert, drill hall, \$35,000; Price-Rupert, immigration detention building, \$16,000; Prince Rupert, drill hall, \$35,000; Price-Rupert, immigration detention building, \$6000; Prince Rupert, drill hall, \$35,000; Price-Rupert, immigration detention building, \$6000; Prince Rupert, drill hall, \$35,000; Price-Rupert, immigration detention building, \$6000; Prince Rupert, drill hall, \$35,000; Price-Rupert, immigration detention building, \$6000; Prince Rupert, drill hall, \$6000; Pr

building, \$10,000; Prince Rupert, drill hall, \$35,000; Price Rupert, immigration detention building, \$45,000; Prince Rupert, public building, \$150,000; Prince Rupert, quarantine station, \$100,000; Prince Rupert, quarantine station, \$100,000; Sidney, public building, \$20,000; Sidney, public building, \$20,000; Trail, public buildi the prisoners through the minister of justice.

WATCHMAN PRESIDENT OF LABOR FEDERATION

Nanaimo Selected as Next Meeting Place; Impeachment of Judges Asked in Resolution.

New Westminster, Jan. 30.-Alexander

New Westminster, Watchman, Victoria, was unanimously elected president of the British Columbia federation of labor for 1914-15 last night, toria, post office improvements, \$10%.000; William Head quarantine station, new buildings, \$15,000.

One of the main Vancouver votes is \$125,000 for postal station "B." For postal station "C" there is a vote of \$45,000. For the examining warehouse there is a vote of \$10,000, for the drill hall a vote of \$100,000, and new detention building, \$155,000. For additions and improvements to the old post office there is a vote of \$10,000. For harbor improvements at Vancouver there is a vote of \$10,000. For harbor improvements at Vancouver there is a vote of \$1,000,000.

In the estimates, \$2,987,087 has been set aside for purposes of agriculture. There are decreases in the amounts for public works, railways and canals, militia and for naval service.

TEMPERANCE ACT IN FORCE.

Exeter. Ont., Jan. 29.—By a majority

Watenman, elected president of the British Columbia federation of labor for 1941-15 last night, and knamalmo was selected as the next mid Manalmo was selected as the next medical price. Other officers elected were: J. J. Taylor, Namalmo (S. B. Simmonds, Victoria; W. R. Dunn, Yancouver; H. J. McEwen, Vancouver; G. H. Hardy, Interior; J. W. Cowar-fixterior, H. Knudson, New Westminster. A. S. Wells was elected secretion building, stiff, and the price of the convention. Other officers elected were: J. J. Taylor, Namalmo (S. B. Simmonds, Victoria; W. R. Dunn, Yancouver; H. J. McEwen, Vancouver; G. H. Hardy, Interior; J. W. Cowar-fixterior, H. Knudson, New Westminster. A. S. Wells was elected secretion building, stiff of the order of the convention of the order of the convention. Other officers elected were: J. J. Taylor, Namalmo (S. B. Simmonds, Victoria; W. R. Dunn, Yancouver; H. J. McEwen, Vancouver; G. H. Hardy, Interior; J. W. R. Dunn, Yancouver; H. J. McEwen, Vancouver; G. H. Hardy, Interior; J. W. R. Dunn, Yancouver; H. J. McEwen, Vancouver; G. H. Hardy, Interior; J. W. R. Dunn, Yancouver; H. J. McEwen, Vancouver; G. H. Hardy, Interior; J. W. R. Dunn, Yancouver; H. J. McEwen, Vancouver; G. H. Hardy, Interior;

Exeter, Ont., Jan. 29.—By a majority ention.

The release of all prisoners whose healt Exter, Ont., Jan. 29.—By a majority of 2,558 votes the Canada Temperance Act was carried in Huron county today. Only one township and a village game a majority against the act.

The act technically does not go into force until May, 1915, but it is expected the 34 licensed hotels in the county will go out of business by August of this year. The release of all prisoners whose heals affected was also demanded.

The Trades and Labor congress Canada will be asked by the federat to assist in securing a Dominion act prohibit employment of white women Orientals.

See the "Kissing Cup" to-day

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MEXICAN UPHEAVAL IS

Administration Continues to Attorney-General Cannot Col-Remain Optimistic Predicting Improvement Soon

Mexico City, Jan. 30.-Figures cover ing Mexico's trade for 1913 have been

898.24. The government contracted a coldness which was much in contrast new exterior loan of \$160,000,000, but of with the greeting which had welcomed this \$80,000,000 was arranged for, the the attorney-general when he rose to bankers' option on this being conclud-

Mineral production has been generally satisfactory in mining camps, unaffected by revolutionary activity. Exports for 1913 were \$189,648,601.57; an increase of \$10,313,687.34 over 1912. Those for the month of July show a decrease of \$2,837,246.57 compared with the corresponding month of 1912, mainly in the value of coingre, silver and copper. Gold increased by \$354,787,77; petroleum, \$1,237,948,42. It is considered that the constant and steady depred that the constant and steady depred. ed that the constant and steady depre-ciation in the value of silver and cop-per on the markets abroad, combined with the restrictions against metallic exportation will further reduce ship-ment. Production is confidently expected to increase, owing to the im-proved methods of mining, milling and reatment of ores,

The amount of oil produced in 1913 was estimated to be 16,000,000 barrels, and that for the present year will exand that for the present year will exceed this. This year's production will likely reach 28,000,000 barrels, or an increase of over 80 per cent, during the year. Of the three principal railroad companies, the National, Interoceanic and Mexican, with their subsidiary feeders, the following operations up to June 20, 1913, are seen. Gross earnune 30, 1913, are seen: Gross earn June 30, 1913, are seen: Gross cara-ings, 1913, \$75,584,584.8; operating ex-penses, \$46,391,139,76; net earnings, \$29,-193,688,42; as ngainst \$30,846,296.39 for 1912; decease \$1,652,597.47. The gross-receipts for the same lines to Novem-ber 14; 1913; were \$19,615,773,72.

This statement shows an increase in the Mexican and Interoceanic, but a heavy loss in the receipts of the Na

FOUR LIBEL ACTIONS IN MATSQUI ELECTION

Damages Claimed as Outcome of Statements Made in Campaign for Reeveship.

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 30.-Four lit the recent contest for the reeve-Matsqui, in which Charles Hill-well-known anthropologist, who ar Abbottsford, was defeated by ve votes by Wm. Merryfield, most exciting contest and heavi-in the history of the municipal-

Mr. Merryfield.

Mr. Hill-Toub has flied papers for a counter action against the reeve for \$19.00 damages, and also two other actions, on against Also. Cruickshanks, a well-knowf farmer and resident in the municipality and the other against Thomas Lehman, of Mount Lehman, the grounds alleged be ing slander and defamation of characte through statements during the recen campaign.

asks for \$20,000 damages, e of Mr. Lehman \$19,000 da

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MUNICIPAL PROPOSAL

lect Provincial Debts Because of Panic, He Says

with the election of civic omcials to complied. The result is evidence of the the majority of the offices of the Van effect of the political upheaval in the couver Conservative association las republic, not only for the period considered, but for the past three years, that a municipal set would be passed at the present session of the house Notwithstanding these adverse conditions the administration continues to remain optimistic and the chief executive predicts an improved state of affairs soon.

The foreign commerce of the country for the year ending June 39, 1913, showed the imports as \$195,772,338.77; the exports as \$399,495,514.16; this being an advance of \$13,110,027.55 in the former, and \$2,416,437.75 in the latter over the preceding 12 months, and the advance in these up to October was stated to be equally advantageous. The budget estimates for the present year a gross increase in the expenditures of \$115,000,000 the present session of the house at the topse at the core in the present session of the house at the topse at the present session of the house at the topse at the topse at the present session of the house at the topse at the topse at the present session of the house at the topse at the topse at the topse at the present session of the house at the present session of the house at the topse at the tending the municipalities of the province directly under the department of the attorney-general. A board would be partment of the attorney-general, and the personal superities of the province directly under the department of the attorney-general, and the present session of the countries of the province directly under the desiration of line present at victoria bringing the municipalities of the province directly under the at

The announcement was received with a coldness which was much in contrast with the greeting which had welcomed ankers' option on this being concluded on December 31, 1913.

At the beginning of the fear the splendid prospects existing gave reason to estimate there would be an increase of 100 per cent., or about 200,000 bales of cotton. The crop, though fully equaling expectations, has been spoiled, about one-half of the first harvest being lost, only some 100,000 bales being available for sale. It is very difficult to state how much, if any of the second picking can be counted on. The harvesting has been difficult for want of labor and producers and merchants account of the scarcity of the supply, most of them now importing to keep.

account of the scarcity of the supply, most of them now importing to keep, mills running. Prices naturally have advanced. The quality has been over the average.

Mineral production has been generally satisfactory in mining camps unaffected by revolutionary activity. Exp. vince was passing through a stri financial time.

If the government were now to force these collections it would create p panic in the province from which the country might not recover for years,

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NAVAL VOLUNTEER MOVEMENT.

The success of the naval volunte demonstrated at Esquimalt last night, shows what may be accomplished in one aspect of a Canadian navy organization if proper entouragement and support are given it. The gentlemen who promoted the ent, and to whom great credit face of a widespread attempt to prejudice- the public mind against anything that might be associated with the local navy idea. Not only has the enrolment of volunteers been satisfacbut the enthusiasm and ability with which the training has been taken ap proves what we have always conlended, that the naval spirit is not flead in this country

Sir Richard McBride last night prefilled, and that he himself; in common help to bring it about. We have not year, demonstrating its widespread the slightest doubt that if the government at Ottawa would send the Nationalist ailies about their business and return to where they stood four years ago, Canada could develop a

FINANCES AND FINANCIERS.

The Attorney-General says he is go ing to place the financial management of the municipalities of the provin under control of his department. We will not go so far as to say that there is not a good deal of room for improvement in the conduct of the financial affairs of municipalities, even for reforms in all departments, but has Mr. Bowser made such a brilliant success of his special provincial department or suit the purposes of the McBride gov- few years. He is too much after the

of conservatism in the true sense of there are at the present day, and cir-believes he is being persecuted when ing, that is what we anticipated.

A CONTRAST.

neer in supreme control of the Panma Canal construction, receives \$15, 000 a year. Colonel Thomson, super ising engineer in laying out Strathona park on this island, also receive 15,000 a year. The Panama Canal is e of the greatest undertakings in the istory of the world, and when comleted_will cost half a billion dollars, sum appropriated for Strathcona park for the year ending March 31, 1914, was \$150,000. If Colonel Goethals vas remunerated on the basis of Col. Thomson's salary he would receive omething like \$7,500,000 per annum, and the American union would dissolve rough the violence of its indignation

The Canadian High Commissione London receives \$10,000 a year. A ice of the Supreme Court of Canada. The Prime Minister of Canada received \$12,000 per annum. These distinguished rvants of the state, like Colonel oethals, devote their entire attention the important duties of their offices olonel Thomson, receiving \$15,000 per year, merely requires to keep in occa sional touch with Strathcona Park, He has plent of time on his hands in which to engage in such side lines as reporting on Greater Vancouver and Victoria sewerage plans as well as ousying himself with private work. No doubt the excuse advanced for the nunificent remuneration given to the colonel for his relatively limited time and services is that our government is is due, inaugurated their work in the net like the Ottawa and Washington governments. It does things in a much bigger way."

PARCELS POST.

The country will welcome the parcels post system which the Postmaster-General announces will be brought into operation on February 10. It is the one piece of constructive legislation the federal government has enacted so far, flicted that the movement would spread and if it is carried out as efficiently as throughout Canada, and that within a the system in force south of the boundfew years there would be a national ary from which it largely was taken enrolment of twenty thousand men. it will prove a boon to the Canadian We hope this prediction will be ful- people. In the current number of the Canadian Magazine George W. Austin with others who have scouted the pos- of Toronto contributes an interesting sibility of developing a naval organ- article on the advantages of parcels ization in Canada, will join with those post. He points out that the system who have consistently exhibited in operation in the United States netgreater faith in their own people and ted a profit of \$30,900,600 in its first

popularity. The rates to be charged in the Canadian system have been announced, but we shall have to walt for further information before we can make comnaval organization in which her peo- parisons. We know, however, that we ple could take justifiable pride. We are starting with a maximum delivery hope that in this city, at any rate, the of six pounds, after which it will be naval volunteer movement has put an eleven, the limit when the American end to the "Canada Can't" nonsense, system began. No doubt our rates and that our public men, without re- generally will be the same as those gard to party, will show the same con- the neighboring government first pro fidence in the energy, ability and spirit vided, as it would be well to begin of their people as has been manifested cautiously in this respect. The Washby those who brought the organization ington authorities found that the sys tem worked so well under the initial schedule that last summer they increased the limit of delivery to twenty pounds within the first two zonesthat is to say, within 150 miles of th point of posting.

MILLIONAIRE STATESMEN,

The names of nine or ten men hav been mentioned in connection with appointment to the post of High Commisdoner in London, lately held by Lord Strathcona. One only of this nine or ten is not rated in the millionaire of the financial department that he class-and the exception is far from Cotton is that man, But he would not within what seems a comparatively

Sir John Macdonald rather prided stamp of the late R. G. Tatlow to himself on the fact that he was a poor sess the confidence of the adminis- man. He had the distinction of dying a poor-man. Yet he served his country Richard McBride frequently longer, very much longer, than any of boasts of his talents as an administra-tic statesmen of the present day who for, and cites the celerity with which flourish in affluence; Alexander Macthe credit of the province was rehabilt- kenzle left-little behind for anybody to tated after he attained power as proof quarrel over, when he laid down the of his financial genius. As a matter of burden which bore so heavily upon fact, it was the late R. G. Tatlow who him, The same way be said of scores reduced the finances to order. He re- of men who were the contemporaries of ally believe that they are public bens objection was taken at the time we signed as a protest against a proposal those two former leaders of parties foresaw, would ultimately Sir Charles Tupper being one exception play havor with the credit of the prove to the rule. Sir Wilfrid Laurier has ac-Ince, which he had laberiously built cumulated no stores of wealth, although up. He predicted the conditions that he was in office continuously for about prevail to-day, although we have yet sixteen years. Some one probably will to gather the ripe fruit of the schemes ask what was the matter with the public men of the early days-were they

QUITE MISTAKEN.

orts of what the Liberal papers term ed the triumphal march of their leaders he said that it had been stated that is some places 700 people were present in the halls to listen to their addresses Anyone who is acquainted with the district knew that the maximum capacity of these halls did not exceed 200, -W. J. Manson in the legislature,

Mr. Manson is mistaken. There not a town of any importance in the province which has not a theatre of hall capable of accommodating seve nundred people. Either the member for Skeena thinks our flourishing is terior cities are little backwoods setnodation of their meeting place amilar sum is paid to the Chief Jus- favored him and his friends when the last visited there. Were a stranger in the gallery to hear Mr. Manson's re mark he would conclude at once that the eloquent speeches and enthusiastic articles he had heard and read about privileges the development of this province were

yould injure their industry, The be a boon to them, and in consequence ands of farmers whose interests also are affected. If the government believes in the doctrine of the greatest good to the greatest number, it will arrange for free wheat. If it believes in protecting the dividends of the few at the expense of the many, it, will make no effort to enlarge the markets of the greatest producing element in the Dominion. The yote in the house yesterday, when the amendment of Dr. Neeley to the address in reply to the speech from the throne was turned boast about; yet we would not be surdown, indicates the administration's prised if some one were to rise up and attitude. The truth of the matter is want to know you know why the the millers' voice has been heeded at wealth of the nation is being so unheadquarters, and the farmers and the ountry must continue to suffer.

The millers of Canada have waxed barrel duty which protects them is a move the duty from wheat and give fine pick-up. Free wheat would compel them to pay the farmer more, while United States perhaps may be considfree flour would require them to reduce ered as having a direct bearing upon the price of their product to the con- the point. And there are many other selling flour in Liverpool from 50 to 90 ered with profit. cents per barrel cheaper than they sell it in Winnipeg. If they are able to make a profit on their Liverpool price in the face of the ocean transportation rates. against which they eternally are kick interested in the tango than in theo-ing, how would they be injured in the ries of government. If that is true Canadian market by either free wheat or free flour? It is an old, old story. They do not wish to be compelled by competition to pay the producer more, and they require the tariff protection to enable them to soak the consumer. Between the two they are revelling in a happy hunting ground, extorting nough from both sources to fatten up their dividends and leave an ample supply with which to contribute to the fortunes of the government which provides the picnic.

"ETERNAL VIGILANCE," ETC.

In warning Canadians to beware rapidly swelling plutocracy, ex-President Taft pointed , out how his own people had been so complaisant in this regard that they awoke one day kind," and to that end he would wel-to find themselves being thro(tied. come every suggestion, warning, and should throw himself into the affairs being in doubtful circumstances. He Then, in a panic, they arose in their should throw himself into the affairs of municipalities? If there is one thing more transparent than any other in connection with the administration of this province it is, the imperative of the applicants for the position, the great measures of the Wilson administration of this province it is, the imperative of the applicants for the position, the great measures of the Wilson administration of the applicants for the position, the great measures of the Wilson administration of the applicants for the position. tive and immediate necessity for or at the very least he is considered ministration, but rather to legislation the appointment of a strong, eapable man as Minister of Finance. There is one man in the legislature qualified for the post—and he will not get it even if he were willing to take adopted by some of the states. Some it, which we gravely doubt. Mr. Carter- the worldly status of our public men their child, corruption, has been slow, the other day that he would not accept but sure. They cannot raze the walls the Canadian High Commissionership molished only layer by layer or con- that Mr. Borden would like to see Hon fusion will ensue. Human nature in J. D. Hazen take the post. By the way this era is so constituted that extreme they are not mentioning Sir Richard's steps in either direction would be pro ductive of chaos.

Ninety millions of people are en- street," etc., gaged in a titanic contest, not with individuals, but with a condition of mind which has been allowed to develop with was first coined by Disraeli while vio the years. Some of the heads of the great monopolistic combinations actufactors, and they are honest in their \$62,600,000, less than a quarter of the bellef. Few of them began life with that mental attitude, simply because for the most part, they sprang from humble environments which to-day are merely vague, shadowy dreams to came a change of viewpoint. They, the to which he took objection.

If men or the early days—were they afflicted with some besetting weakness post of Finance Minister if he could that they not know enough to take be induced to take it. He is safe, sure, cautious, capable and conservative. As a newspaper man and as a public man many opportunities for acquiring a newspaper man and as a public man weakness the many opportunities for acquiring appreciate the circumstances of the weakness of the conditions of the many opportunities for acquiring appreciate the circumstances of the circumstanc

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the state deprives him of any of

Ex-President Taft warns Canadian to fight the development of that menta attitude before it is buttressed by the bulwark of enorm ous accum of wealth and the control of the The Canadian millers say free wheat avenues of industry. The state shoul erect safeguards to protect the prairie farmers declare that it would jority from the exactions of the minority. We should never permit to the whole of Canada. The number this country such a condition as that of people directly associated with the which was allowed to develop in the milling industry are but a handful in United States, where two great findincomparison with the hundreds of thou- cial interests; J. P. Morgan & Co. and the Standard Oil Company, dominated corporations representing a capital of \$38,000,000,000, almost one-third the na tionl wealth of the union.

Great country, Canada. She has more millionaires per head of actual the latest estimate. This is something to be proud of, even, it may be, to evenly distributed and what are the causes of the unfair distribution. The ourse of the flour millers in demandfat and prosperous. The 60 cents per ing that the government shall not resumer. But it happens that they are cognate points that might be consid-

> J. H. Burnham, M. P. for West Pe terboro', in his speech on the address, said the people of Canada are mor ries of government. If that is true, what can have come over the staid and sober-minded people of Ontario? There was a time when theories of government, next to theories on religion, were as the breath of life to the urban and rural communities of the province. If what Mr. Burnham says is true-and he represents an Ontario constituency-we tremble for the future of Canada. However, we prefer to believe that Ontario's interest in the tango is merely a passing obsession just such a wave as resulted in the return to power of the Borden government.

The Premier announced yesterday that the government proposed to bring in agricultural legislation next yes that would be the "most perfect of its come every suggestion, warning, and even criticism of the severest charvince, and that nothing the govern can do in the way of legislation will promote increased production?

The Hon, Clifford Sifton stated of this edifice in a day. It can be de- if it was offered to him. It is reported name in this connection any more. "Out in the cold world, out in th

> The phrase "bloated armaments lently opposing the militarism of Lore Palmerston. The expenditure to which sum now spent on the navy.

"Why should we send to New Zea land for our butter?" asked Mr. Tis dall in his speech a few days ago. It mise not to give us away we will tell

Final Reductions On All Winter Merchandise Make Many Unusually Good Offerings For the Last Day of This January Sale

Saturday Should See the Last of Our Winter Coats for Women



We have now come to the last day of this January Sale, and the wo-man who has yet a Winter Coat to buy should certainly avail herself of these closing values. Our entire stock is now grouped into two prices for a quick clean-up—

\$10 and \$13.90

THE \$10.00 group of Coats represents values that have been selling throughout the season up to \$30.00. Handsome coats, made in some of the season's leading materials and in a style that will please the most fastidious. THE \$13.90 group of Coats repre-

sent the entire balance of all our higher-priced coats, varying from \$35.00 to \$50.00. Some of these are extremely handsome coats and they are in all the most fashion-able of materials. Another day's selling should clear the entire stock. Of course all sizes are not included, although there's a good range. We would, however, advise early shopping to save disappointment, as these coats are bar-

Broken Sizes in Women's Shoes Clearing at

\$1.95

A final clean-up of desirable Shoes taken from our regu lar stock of values from \$3.00 to \$3.50. Most of these represent broken sizes and styles, but you will find that most sizes are to be had in one or more of the styles that are included. Women should take an early opportunity of looking these over, for if your size is here you have the chance of securing a great bargain. Remember every pair is from our regular stock and can be relied on for quality and satisfaction. While they last, per pair \$1.95

-First Floor

February House-Furnishing Sale Starts Monday Next

See Window Displays

Full Particulars Later

Saturday Candy Specials

Plain Butterscotch, lb. 20¢ late, reg. 30e per pkg. 25¢ Keiller's Treacle in tins, each Cowan's Chocolates, Ginger, Nougat, per box 10¢ Bunti Marshmellows Mint and

Vanilla, per tin15¢

Jellie Fruit Bar, each ...5¢

ALWAYS FRESH Brazil Nut Creams 75¢ Brazil Nut Taffey60¢ Large Chocolates60¢ -Main Floor

Final Reductions on Men's and Boys' Sweaters

Men's Sweaters—A fine, camel hair Sweater, in camel hair Sweater, in the V-neck, coat shape; an imported brand and a very smart, dressy style. The colors include green, style. The colors are fawn, fawn, trimmed green; -fawn, trimmed brown, and plain grey, trimmed brown, and plain grey. There are three sizes to choose from. Regular \$5.00 values. Clearing at \$2.95
Boys' Sweaters, in a good woollen mixture; made in pull-over-head style, and just the thing for school wear. In colors grey, navy, brown and green. About six dozen only, in odd sizes. Regular values to 85c. Clearing. six dozen only, in odd sizer Regular values to 85c, Clearin navy and red, trimmed green. Sizes for boys from 4 to Regular \$1.25

Ladies' Collars

Values to 35c Go At 15¢ Saturday.

The lot includes Muslin and Embroidery Collars in Dutch and Jabot styles. There's a good assortment and a special clean-up for the last day of the January Sale.

—Main Floor Great Values In Men's and Boys' Clothing To Wind Up the January

We have now come to the last day of this January Sale, and our determination to clear out the entire balance of all winter stock has got the better of us, and we have therefore cut deeper into the former selling prices for a final wind-up Saturday.

THE LAST DAY FOR BUY-ING MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS

At the following reductions: Men's Suits, regular \$18.00 to values, clearing at \$13.75 Regular \$27.50 to \$32.50 values, clearing at \$18.75 Overcoats to \$15.00, clearing To \$27.50, clearing at only \$15.75

A CLEAN-UP OF BOYS SUITS Values to \$9.00 Selling at \$4.75

While the price is sufficiently tempting, yet it is the fine quality of the goods that is eausing parents to buy. This is our final offering in Boys' Suits and we can assure yo

that there are some wonderful bargains to be had. Take advantage of this sale and get your lad fitted with one of these suits which will only cost you about one-half the regular price, and you'll be getting him a suit that he will be proud to wear and you will be equally as proud to see him in. It will be a long time before you get another such chance as this. The sizes range from 26 to 34 and you can choose from the single or double-breasted styles, with bloomer pants; also from a large assortment of shades and patterns in greens, greys, browns and Bannockburn mixtures

CLEARING OUT BOYS' AND YOUTHS! OVERCOATS_ FINAL REDUCTIONS

We have grouped the balance of our Boys' and Youths' Overcoats into two very low prices for a final clearance. This (Saturday) being the last day of this sale, there's sure to be a big demand. We therefore advise you to bring your lad along at an early hour and let us fit him with one of these fine coats while the selection and sizes are at their best. Heavy Tweeds, Melton Cloths, and Cravenettes are the chief materials from which you can choose, and there are several smart styles, in-cluding the Chesterfield, two-way collars and belted back ef-The final clearing prices are:-

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PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to Public Notice is needly given to
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December 31, 1913, are now invalid under
the Statute, by virtue of the dates of the
petitions, and new petitions for works
must be presented to the Council.
Petitions for works of Local improvement will be received by the Council up
to May 1, 1914.

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THE VICTORIA NO. 2 BUILDING

The Twelfth Annual General Meeting of the above Society will be held at the Room of the Grocers' Exchange, Sechangery Lane, Bastlon Square, on Saturday, Sist Japonary, 1914, at 3 p. m. 1-70 receive the Directors' and Auditors' Report, the Secretary's Report and Balance Sheet, and such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

2. Election of Officers and Board of Management. 2. Electron danagement. 3. Twenty-eighth Drawing for an Ap-ropriation. See that your shares are in

good standing. By order,

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 23, 1914.

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of Hugh Andrew, Deceased, Late of the City of Victoria, B. C.

of Victoria, B. C.
All persons having claims against the
shove estate are required to send particulars thereof, duly verified, to the undersigned, on or before the Zist day of Februsry, 1914, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the said
estate according to haw, with regard only
to such claims of which they shall then
have had notice.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this Zist day
of January, 1914
H. DESPARD TWIGG.
Of 312-314 Jones Bidg., Victoria, B.C.,
Solicitor for the Executors.

BRIEF NEWS OF THE CITY

Ladies' Tailor .- Wm. Stewart, men's Ladies' Tailor.—Wm. Stewart, men's and ladies' tailor, room 5, Haynes ball, February 9.

0.00 Hanna & Thomson, 827 Pandora venue. Phone 498. Fine Funeral carnishings. Lady attendant. Auto carne in connection. Calls promptly inswered day or night. Frank L. Fhomson, funeral director and licensed management. 000 "

S. P. C. A.—Cases of cruelty phone Inspector Russell, 1921; Secretary, L1738.

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Colonial Trust Company, Limited Merchants Bank building.

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Heaton's full-piece orchestra is en-gaged for the Capital's ball, February

Back to the Land Movement -- Ar-Parkville and Qualicum districts at Phoenix Stout, \$1.50 per doz. qts.

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We Make the Finest Turkish De-light you ever tasted. Come and try some, 50c. per pound. Rochon's, cor-ner Blanchard and View street.

Take Me to the Eagles' Big Masquerade Ball, I want to win the grand tombola prize. Connaught hall, Feb-ruary 17.

For Keys that fit, go to Wilson Repair Shop, 614 Cormorant street.

When Your Teeth Need Attention have them examined without charge or obligation. Dr. J. L. Thompson Open evenings.

Rub Linoleo on the Floor.—It makes a nice lustre, 25c and 50c. R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas St.

Majestic Theatre, - "Stanton's Last Fling." a thrilling tale of adventure and "A Waif of the Desert," a very dramatic story of ploneer days, are two big features on to-day's change. "The Leading Lady's Baby," is a very amusing Pathe. "Snow Effects in Austria," a half reel of lovely views of snowy forest and mountains. "The Living Wage," an up-to-date romance, Sault. Ste. Marie and Inspector H. dealing with industrial conditions Cunningham, of Oroville, Washington, where dollars and cents figure first and sense with sontiment comes as a latest orders issued by the American where dollars and cents figure first and sense with sentiment comes as a triumphant finale of right or wrong. The funny film is called "Dishing Dick's Dishwasher," a cleverly thought-up comic that is fresh and quite laughable.

toria Progressive Spiritualism society has moved to 617 Cormorant street, opposite No. 1 fire hall.

Two company of the Fifth regiment will tender Major W. N. Winsby a farewell dinner next Wednesday even

Heid Annual Meeting.—The first annual meeting of the Cumberland and Westmoreland association was held on Wednesday evening in the St. Barnabas schoolroom. Some fifty members assembled and the following officers were elected: President, G. Robinson; vice-president, E. Satterthwaite; treasurer, H. Nixon; secretary, W. Spry, of 1515 Camosum street. Eight members were appointed to the management committee.

agement committee Victoria Club Reception.—A very successful "at home" took place at the Victoria club yesterday afternon, when in spite of the rain about fifty embers and their friends assembled, and if not so crowded as usual, this function must count for one of the pleasantest in the annals of the club. An interesting feature of the afteron was the presentation of a gold wrist-watch to the secretary, Miss Cotsworth. The presentation was made by Mrs. W. J. Roper, president, on behalf of the committee and members, and though only a few of the Victoria Now Has in the person of latter had been asked to subscribe or Marie E. Oberg a genuine Swedish had had any previous knowledge of medical gymnast, who uses the Lings system of manual treatment for the cur in the feelings of appreciation its cur in the feelings of appreciation ndigestion, constipation and other but graceful little speech expressing

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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

The British Columbia legislature will be opened to morrow at \$ p. m. by His Hanor I leut-Governor Nelson. Most of the members are already in the city and the rentaintier will arrive to night.

C. R. Grayes has been appointed librarian of the legislative assembly

ment.
Lieut. Scott W. A. H. Gray, of this city, was married at Stoke, England.
to Eleanor Margaret, fourth daughter of the late Thomas West, J. P. The
lieutemant is a son of Mr. Justice Gray, of this city.
A San Francisco despatch of Sunday says: Frank Barnard, a mer-

A San Francisco despatch of Sunday says: Frank Barnard, chant and commission dealer of Victoria, B. C., and owner of several oats, is at the Occidental hotel.

C. Dubois Mason has passed as a barrister, and C. C. Pemberton as

See the "Kissing Cup" to-day at

O O O 'Empress Hotel.—A tango tea will be given in the ballroom on Saturday, January 31, 4 p. m., to 5.30 p. m. Mrs. Lester and Mr. Ransford will give an exhibition of the tange and other dances. Admission, 50 cents, inclu-

Died Suddenly.—The death of Ar-thur Cayln, one of Victoria's native sons, has occurred with tragic sud-denness. Deceased had been in the boot and shoe business for some years in Vancouver and dropped dead there on Wednesday.

On Pastoral Visit—The Bishop of Columbia left yesterday for Nanaimo and Alberni. From the west coast ort he will cross to Clayoquot sound, nd dedicate the new Anglican church t Tofino, recently under construc-

quimalt board of school trustees at the first meeting of the year last night and Lieut Mulcahey was appointed secretary again. The new Lampson Street school will be opened about March⁶1 with appropriate ceremony.

immigration department.

Start in a Few Weeks.—E. A. Waterman, manager of Weiler Brothers, on his return from Montreal yesterday, stated that the firm would be in position to make a start on the erec-tion of its new building in a few months now, although he could not fix the date. Mr. Waterman has been conferring with the directors in the

Runaway Fatality.-Leong Wing, Chinese rancher of Saanichton, was thrown from his wagon and killed on Wednesday afternoon, within a short Wednesday afternoon, within a short distance of his home. Deceased was returning from the city with a load of lumber when the accident occurred. Fis body was found two horses are tying in the ditch, while his team was found some two hundred, yards-naway, and injuries to the head go to prove that he had been dragged some distance and kicked by the horses' hoofs. The body was removed by the Saan-be relies to the Victoria undertak. ich police to the Victoria undertak-ing rooms.

Lecture on italy.—The members of the University Women's club and their friends were entertained on Wednes-day evening by Dr. Helen Ryan at her charming home on Battery street. when a most interesting talk on Italy was given by E. Howard Russell. Mr Russell has lived for over a year in Russell has lived for over a year in this country and was able to give an intimate account of many of its prininal cities. He showed some beau colored lantern slides of Naple Rome, Florence and many of t smaller towns with artistic and hi toric associations, including Hercula eum and Pompeli, Sorrento, Amal

and the Island of Capri. A Pleasant Evening.—The whist drive in connection with the Ivy Leaf Social club was held in the Moose hall on Thursday evening. A wistem of manual treatment for the cur in the feelings of appreciation it moose hall on Thursday evening. A represented. Mrs. Roper made a brief large number of members and friends and other but graceful little speech expressing attended, twenty-two tables being ocindigestion, constipation and other but graceful little speech, expressing attended, twenty-two aboves being other provided and chronic diseases. Offices the club's recognition of Miss Cots-the club's recogniti tew Life Relieves pain insome delightful songs were contribfirst gentleman; Mr. Pargetar, second,
and Mr. Squance, gentleman's consoted years street.

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134 Yates street.

135 Yates street.

136 Yates year leading of "Down in the Forest" lation. Mr. Percy James was master
was particularly happy. Mrs. Reid,
of ceremonies. During the interval the Princess Theatrs.—Look in the advertisements all this week, for your ham. Moredon, all of whom had to respond to hearty encores, while Mrs. weekly whist drives for the remainder of the Princess for the artistic support as accompanists.

Was particular with the president announced that the commitment of the had arranged to continue their respond to hearty encores, while Mrs. weekly whist drives for the remainder of the season in the Knights of Pythia hall, starting from February 5.

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The manufacturer has already done a little more than his share. He expects that you will at least let the public know that you have the goods. He expects you to furnish service. Only to the extent that you do give service are you entitled to a profit. Link the right kind of service with the work of the manufacturer and sellow fast your business will grow.

QUESTIONS IN HOUSE

Minister of Public Works Replies Queries by Newcastle Member.

Three questions put by Parker Williams to the minister of public works yesterday dealt with the payments made to John Hopp in connection with the construction of the Jack of Club's money spent on the Pacific highway in the last four years. The questions asked by the member for Newcastle, and the answers given by the minister of public works, follow:

1. Why was a refund of \$2,000 paid o John Hopp on construction of "Jack of Clubs" road, as appears on page C148, public accounts ending March

2. Was there any agreement made sb, what?

3. What evidence was there to show

what work was done?

4. What were the names of the men

Mr. Taylor replied as follows:
"1. Mr. Hopp constructed the road
"1. Mr. Hopp constructed the road at a cost of \$3,922.42, the govern

at a cost of \$3,322.42, the government agreeing to pay \$2,000.

"2. Yes. Agreement made between the road superintendent and Mr. Hopp.
"3. Certificates of government agent and road superintendent. "4. The names of the men employed are not in the department, but

government agent at Barkerville has been instructed to transmit copy of time-sheet. Wages paid, \$3,257.43;-material, \$664.89." Mr. Williams asked: 1. What amount of money has been spent during the four years prior to December 31 last on Pacific highway

New Westminster to Blaine Wash.? 2. How many miles in length is said

"1. 1910-11, \$33.75; 1911-12, \$34,-092.76; 1912-13, \$39,965; 1913-14 (to date); \$47,881.30; total, \$121,972.81.

TO END STRIKE

Parker Williams Asks House to Urge Upon Government Taking of Action to Bring About Termination.

Among the petitions presented in the use yesterday was one from the corporation of Penticton, asking leave to introduce a private bill giving in-creased corporate powers, and another from the municipality of Saanich for leave to introduce a private bill called Ernest Miller, chairman of the con mittee on private bills and standing orders presented the fifth report. Two notices of motion appear on the

order paper. One is from Parker Wiliams seeking to bring about the ter ed as follows:

"Whereas for a period of over sixteen months a strike or lockout has existed in the mines on Vancouver

'And whereas said strike or lockou has caused, and is causing, grave in-convenience, hardships and suffering;

'And whereas said labor trouble has been, and continues to be the occasion of very large expenditures of public

nce of some outside influence, the oregoing conditions are likely to con-nue for an indefinite period; "Therefore be it resolved, that this

"And whereas, failing the interfer

Weather Warmer.-The ocean storm as abated, though for two or three ours last night a moderate gale blem

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"Therefore be it resolved, that this house urge upon the government that such action be immediately taken as will bring about the termination of said strike or lockout."

The other deals with the insertion in section 2 of the Industrial Communities act an amendment calling for the production of the declaration to the production of the declaration to the registrar of joint stock companies, so that if the same appears to him to be in conformity with the act he may endorse thereon a certificate to that effect, with the proviso that every refusal of the registrar under this head shall be subject to appeal to the lieutenant-governor-in-council.

The other deals with the insertion in section 2 of the mides an hour was registered. At Seattle, which is somewhat exposed, a velocity of 44 miles an hour was recorded. Rain has been general throughout the island and lower mainland, and the barometer is steadily rising. In Southern there has been a sudden increase of temperature, the thermometer at Calgary rising from 16 below zero to 40 degrees. In Southern Saskatchewan it is also very high. No reports came in last night from Sitka or Dawson.



A - 10 a

or Dawson. Mails Delayed.—There was no east-ern mail this morning, and the English parcel, and letter mail due at the beShipping News from Day to Day

ENGINEER MAINTAINS LEAD OVER SENATOR

Steams Into Port From San Flyer Clears Honolulu and Master of Dirigo Fears Wind-Francisco Short Time Ahead of Passenger Steamship

Although it was believed that the Pacific Coast passenger steamship Senator, Capt. Hannah, would have to take up a berth at the outer docks this afternoon. The latter made her that she will reach William Head by the Senator warped alongside the wharf. Both ships steamed north wharf. Both ships steamed north from San Francisco and through the

and the Columbia river, however, in Lerfered with the passages of both vessels and they were delayed. The Harrison liner did not belave as badly as the smaller steamship. Had the weather been finer the Senator would have overhauled the Engineer, as she is faster than the freighter.

A small list of passengers is being brought in by the Niagara This is the off-season for travel from the Antipodes and the fiver has less than 200 travellers. The cargo on the Niagara amounts to about 2,000 tons; and she will discharge over 100 tons of frozen mutton and butter here.

Big Cargo to Discharge.

The Engineer came up to the docks

On board the Senator for Victoria were 15 passengers and 203 tons of general merchandise. The Senator will be getting away for the Sound some time this evening. Both the ships reported nasty

Both the ships reported nasty weather on the passage up from the Golden Gate.

MESSINA COMING AGAIN

Portland, Ore., Jan., 30.-When the British steamship Messina leaves Otaru, Japan, for Portland, February 15, she will have aboard 2,000,000 feet if hewn oak logs, consigned to the merson Hardwood company, operating a sawmill and planing plant in the ower harbor. In weight the cargo will It will be the largest cargo of hard-

yards of the Cogurtant Shipounding and Marine Rallway company, which was to take place at Port Cequitlan at 2.30 p. m. to-morrow, has been changed to 10.30 a. m. on the same the 8.30 a. m. train from Vancouver for Seattle and Tac

TEUCER ARRIVES.

NIAGARA DUE FROM OPENING OF CANAL **AUSTRALIA ON TIME**

Docks Here Next Tuesday; Monteagle Coming

center. Capt. Hannah, would have a capt. Morrisby, sailed from that port acceeded in overhauling her, the Harson freighter Engineer, Capt. Mayock, was the first of the two vessels take up a herth at the outer docks is afternoon. The latter made here Cablegrams from Honolulu state that coming flyer, there is no doubt but that she will reach William Head by

the Senator warped alongside the wharf. Both ships steamed north from San Francisco and through the fact that she was able to make better weather of it than the passenger vessel, the Engineer was able to maintain the short lead which she received at the start.

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The Niagara is the first liner to come in from the Antipodes on time for the past four or five months. The strikes among the dockers at Sydney and Auckland delayed the ships, and the vessels could not handle their cargoes to appropriate their cargoes could not handle their cargoes to their scheduled sailing dates. The Niagara was given quick dispatch at all the passenger vessel would have berthed here early this morning and the Columbia river, however, in the fact that she was able to make better weather of the Senator cast of the strike of the str

Monteagle on Her Way.

Advices have been received from The Engineer came up to the docks shortly after 3, o'clock and the long shoremen at once commenced to remove the 900 tons in her holds consigned to Victoria. When this is finished a small shipment of salmon will be placed on board. The Engineer will probably clear from Victoria for Vancouver on Sunday.

Sokohama stating that the C. P. R. steamship Monteagle, Capt. L. Davidson, cleared from that port on Sunday is stand will make Victoria next Saturday. If heavy weather interferes with her passage it may be the Sabbath day before she is passed by the doctor at William Head. The Menteagle has been absent from this coast longer than been absent from this coast longer than usual, owing to the fact that she has been overhauling in Hongkong. The vessel was hauled out in dry-dock, and her hull cleaned and painted and her latest themselves the second of the se interior thoroughly overhauled and relecorated. Some slight alterations hav

been made to her, The Oriental passenger travel is light at present, and the Monteagle has but few saloon and steerage per-sons on board.

'FRISCO'S MARINE NEWS

San Francisco, Jan. 30.—The French Kingdom via Cape Horn. Each year a barque Marle left here yesterday, for Fruget Sound, where she will load lumber and British Columbia, Puget ber at Tacoma for the United Kingdom, It is believed With All Hands Injured; Decklead Overboard g a sawmill and panning panning will dom. The Marie arrived nere even were harbor. In weight the cargo will dom. The Marie arrived rem Europe.

equal to that of 4,000,000 feet of fir. weeks ago with cargo from Europe.

The W. R. Grace liner Santa Cecilia. wood imported from the other side of which has this week arrived from New which has this week arrived from the route in steamers, and thereby a protter the Pacific since the early part of last damaged her cargo off the South American Lumber company to transport a cargo of fir from Portland to the Far East. LAUNCHING HOUR CHANGED

The launching of the ship from the yards of the Coquitian Shipbuilding and Marine Rallway company, which

MANY PEOPLE SEE SIAM.

Vancouver, Jan. 30.-The Danish Guests attending the launching East Asiatic company's motor vessel. on to-night's boat will catch Siam, which left Vancouver yesterday to-morrow, and will be met by motor on Wednesday, afternoof of a recep-car at Port Coquitlam. A number of tion, 500 or more visitors, chiefly con-prominent Victorians are going over, nected with the shipping and mernected with the shipping and mer-cantile communities, being courteously shown round the ship by Danish offi-Mahoney, San Pedro; auxiliary power The Blue Funnel liner Teucer, Capt.

The Blue Funnel liner Teucer, Capt.

All the visitors went advantage of the line of the line, C. Gardner John
son & Co.

San Pedro, Cal.—Arrived: Steam
San Gabriel, Umpqua River; steam
Governor, San Diego; steamer San

Governor, San Diego; steamer San

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

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DEEP-SEA DEPARTURES.

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SAILERS COMING.

Alliance, Peruvian barque, Iquique Commerce, American schoener, to load at Schiffbek, German ship, to load at Van couver for United Kingdom,

COASTING VESSELS. From Northern Ports.

... Feb.

Rupert, G.T.P., Granby Bay, Feb. in. U.S.S., Co., Bella Coota, Feb. John, G.T.P., Prince Rupert, Feb. Maquinna, Skagway ..., Feb. For Northern Ports. For West Coast. From West Coast.

From San Francisco.

For San Francisco.

orders.

At 4.30 o'clock this afternoon the British sloop-of-war Algerine, Com-mander Corbett, left Esquimalt for Scattle, where she will have her dam-aged shaft repaired, and a few wheel fitted. She will be back sarly next

The Tapestry Mode.—The Millionali declining to purchase post-impressionin reation)—"Noth'n doin'. Why, 'm maiden a'nt cuid darrn a better picture'

AROUND THE SHIP CHANDLER'S STOVE

(By Archie H. Wills)

THESE FRENCH FISHERMEN ARE A QUEER CROWD

"We were completing a passage from as soon as I saw the old fellow was the River Plate, making for Halifax, quite awake," when we ran into a dense fog off the ..."All the time his eyes had been wan when we ran into a dense fog off th Nova Scotia coast. We felt around in the fog for a number of days and durng a brief lift of the fog I saw a small hooner at anchor on our port box She appeared to be one of those French fishing vessels and was anchored off the Brown Banks, off the south coast of Noval Scotla, looking for cod, and it was then that I had my first experi-After that I put them down as a pretty queer lot."
So spake the man who was maste

BAD BLOW TO SHIPS

jammers Will 'Be Knocked

Out Soon

"A sailing vessel would be from two to three months in getting to anchor-age in Panama bay, and might be be-calmed for a much longer time."

Only Pive Ships Left,

Capt. Mallett said that there are now

in service only five of the American

that remain of that proud fleet are the Dirigo, the Edward Sewall, the William P. Frye, the John Eng and the Manga Reva-just five in number."
The trade route of the windjammer, which will suffer greatest following the opening of the canal, will be between Pacific coast ports and the United Kingdom via Cape. Horn. Each year and the United Ringdom via Cape. Horn.

Sound and Columbia river ports the United Kingdom. It is belie that as soon as the canal is ope the grain will find its way via t

route in steamers, and thereby a pro-

INTELLIGENCE

Ore. - Arrived: Steamer

Daisy Gadsby, Edgar H. Vance, Wau-naw; French barque Champigny, San

fornia; steamer Paraiso, San Fran-cisco. Sailed: Steamer Johan Poul-sen, San Francisco; barquentine Jane

Stanford, Antologasta; steamer Roa-

San Pedro, Cal.-Arrived: Steamer

boa. Salled: Steamer Shna Yak, Ever-ett; steamer Captain A. F. Lucas, Van-couver; British steamer Massasola,

Miikl: French barque Marie, Port

Townsend.
Seattle, Wash.—Arrived: Steamer
Georgian, San Francisco; steamer
Richmond, San Francisco. Satled:
Steamer Congress, San Diego; steamer
Delhi, Southeastern Alaska via Dupont; steamer Dirigo, Falmouth for
orders.

REPAIRING SOPHIA-

Tenders for the repairing of the

P. R. steamer, Princess Sophia are to be in by 3.30 o'clock to-morrow after-

Francisco; steamer Sue H.

of the windjammer at the ship chandlery this morning. This experience happened a few years ago and this seadog who will not see the bright said of sixty again, thinks it to be the no advantage to the fast disappearing sailing ship, is the opinion of a num-

ber of windjammer skippers, who view with deep regret the passing of the most interesting and anusing he ever ran up against in his many years at lieved that the great waterway will sound the death knell to sailers. The opening of the Suez Canai was the first hard blow deait the windjammers, continued the man of the sea. "It's a continued the man of the sea. "It's a sort of an instinct with them Well and they have never recovered from it yet. This payed the way for the stamer, and now the North and South American continents 'are separated for far is sittle hope for the sailer, as their greatest trade route will be practically made obsolete.

Capt. W. M. Mallett, master of the few remaining ships of her class under the Panama Canal before putting to sea Panama Canal before putting to sea from Seattle for the United Kingdom with a cargo of barley, had the followed the man of the sea "It's a continued the man of the sea drifting to five the sea

after a yawn he said:

"Hello-o-o-o."

"No,' he replied.

"No,' he replied.

"No,' he replied.

"Well, he is the skipper (pointing to me) and I'm the mate of that limemous for any English and so I got all diver. Now for your pains here is something. The mate hit the fisherman right on the point of the chin with satisfaction and to the satisfaction of the crew and we thought I'd get the pronunciation down right 'nough.

"Quelle longitude est il?" I sang out him since."

dering about our ship, but when ray question reached his ears, he looked straight at me with a vacant look and he looked about as empty as a well-drained tomato can.

"'Was that ye be sayin.' I did na set it, he replies as soon as he'd found be could,' fathom my lavgage.

could't fathom my language "You can just bet I was a You can just bet I was a puzzled man. Here, I thought the fellow a Frenchman and he looked it square enough, but by jinks, he didn't seem to understand French and threw back some English and Scotch. It was up

o me then to hand it to him in Em "'Hey, my heartle.

ngitude." I hollered to him.
"Then the old fellow started to cratch his head and we could hear him musing to himself, 'longitude' dongitude.' He was evidently stuck or the word and we could easily under-stand that because those Frenchmen didn't know anything about mavigation and how they got about was a mystery. Then the old Frenchman looked up at us, shaped his hands so as to form a megaphone and cried out:

"Go to Halifax. Dad's all the Eng in I know." He then disappeared be and left us no better off than be and left us no better off than be-... We tried to figure the nature of

was at anchor and there was not a soul on the form Seattle for the United Kingdom with a cargo of barley, had the following to say:

"The Panama canal will be of no advantage to the fast disappearing flect of American sailing crafts. With the bad of the trade winds of the Carib bean sea it is easy for a sailing vessel to approach or leave the Atlantic entrance to the waterway, on account of the great difficulties, however, are always met with in putting in at Panama bay, the Pacific entrance to the waterway, on account of the great caims that prevail in that part of the world.

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Estevan. Raining; S. W., 30.05; 48; after the Dalgonar sent her mast over

board and became a deresict.

Six of the sixteen men picked up off the coast of Chile were transferred sea moderate. Spoke, 2.30 a.m., S. S. the coast of Chile were transferred Princess Beatrice, Ivory island, north-La Fontaine, bound from Caleta sa to Falmouth, which fell in with

the Loire.

The Dalgonar was en route from Prince Rupert.-Snowing; S. E. Callao for Talto when her ballast shift-ed, throwing her on her beam and ed, throwing her on her beam and snapping her masts. First news of the isaster was brought to San Francisco y the French ship Marie, which shortly to come to umber cargo for the United Kingdom. The Marie found the vessel an abandoned, drifting derelict. The captain of the Marie brought a tin box con

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San Francisco, Jan. 30.-Eighteer days out from Eureka for Sydney, Australia, the four-masted barquentin-Hawaii came into port early to-day badly crippled. Two of her sails had een blown away, her deckload of 300,000 feet of lumber was missing and all of her crew were injured, several disabled.

The Hawaii ran into a fierce south easter the first day out. After thirteen days of peril, Captain August Wikander was forced to jettison the ship's

Tillamook; tanker W. S. Porter, Cali- deckload of lumber, The Hawaii held out until a every ffe-boat had been smashed and the forecastle head beaten in. Then the vessel was steered for San Francisco

> Astoria, Jan. 30,-Covering the dis ance from Golden Gate to the mouth of the Columbia river in 52 hours, the

Aberdeen, Wash.—Arrived: Steamer Mackinaw, San Francisco, Cal:—Arrived: Steamer Santa she had an opportunity to work her Barbara, William Harbor: steamer Rainter, Bellingham; Tahiti and Ventura, Sydney; German steamer Buffalo, Hongkong; steamer Aztec, Balboa. Salled: Steamer Shna Yak, Everover the feat, though he modestly gives the elements credit for the fas time. He said he allowed the vesse time. He said he allowed the vessel as much canvas as her sticks would carry and allowed the wind to do the

VIENNA LOADS AT TACOMA.

rest.

oma, Jan. 30.-The British steam racoma, Jan. 30.—The British steam-er Vlenna, whose charter to the Ameri-can Trading company was announced several days ago, will load most of her cargo for Australia at Tacoma, accord-ing to advices from the local office yes-The Vienna is a tramp steamer and

P. R. steamer, Princess Sophia are to be in by 3.30 c'clock to-morrow aftermon. About a dozen plates will have to be repaired, and a few frames straightened.

ALGERINE GOES TO SOUND.

At 4.30 c'clock this afternoon the British sloop-of-war Algerine, Commander Corbett, left Esquimalt for Seattle, where she will have, her damaged shaft repaired, and a few wheel fitted. She will be back sarly next

WIRELESS January 30, 8 a. m

Point Grey.—Cloudy; calm; 36,15; 35. Out, 11.10 p.m., S. S. Chelohsin; northound. Out, S. S. Prince Albert, 12.20 m : northbound. Cape Lazo.-Cloudy; calm; 30.15; 37;

ape. Lazo.—Cloudy; calm; 30.15: 37.
smooth.—
atoosh.—Part cloudy; W., 6 miles; R. P. RITHET & CO., General Agents.
44; heavy westerly swell. Out.
b. m., S. S. Congress.

Lookense Paids A. SOLLY, Passenger Agent.

1003 Government St. Tatoosh, Part cloudy; W., 6 miles; Pachena.-Raining; N. W., 30.04; 40;

a rough. Triangle,-Cloudy: S. W. 20.03: 39

Ikeda.-Passing showers; 29.77; 31;

28.80; 38; sea moderate.

Dead Tree Point .- Overcast; calm; 29.84; 25; sea moderate. Alert Bay.—Raining: S. E., 29,98; 38; sea smooth. Spoke, S. S. Prince Rupert, 10.10 p. m., stormbound, Granby

Point Grey.—Clear: N. E., light; 10.26; 46; thick. Out, S. S. Empress-of Russia, noon. Cape Lazo.—Clear; calm; 30.15; 41. San Pedro, Cal.—Arrived: Steamer of the Columbia river in 52 hours, the San Gabriel. Umpqua River; steamer Governor, San Diego; steamer Santa Clara, Santa Barbara; steamer Speedwell, San Diego. Salled: Steamer Governor, Puget Sound; Speedwell, Bandon.

After arriving off the mouth of the Champigny has made a new sailing record for herself, and for the Pacific coast. She arrived up the view and will load wheat for the United Kingdom.

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rachena.—Raining; E.; 30.06; 46; sea rough. Spoke, S. S. Engineer, due Victoria 3 p. m.; S. S. Senator is due Victoria at 3.45 p. m., Estevan.—Cloudy; S. W., light; 30.03; 41; sea moderate.

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Prince Rupert 1.30 p. m. In, S. S.
Quadra, 11.30 a. m.; S. S. William Jolliffe, 11 a. m.

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Webt; 29.94; 36; sea smooth.

light; 29.90; 36; sea smooth.

Alert Bay.—Overcast; S. E., light; 30.02; 40; light swell. Spoke, S. S. Venture, southbound, 10.55 a, m.

PART OF DALGONAR'S **CREW ARRIVE IN PORT**

With the arrival of the French barque Loire at Dunkirk, January 5, the death of Capt. John Ibester and three members of the crew of the lost British ship Palgonar was confirmed. When the French barque picked up sixteen men from the Dalgonar in the South Pacific some time ago, it was reported that Capt. Ibester was miss-

The latest advice from Europe co cerning the arrival of the Loire gives no details of the death of the master feet of lumber, according to Manager
MacQuarrie, of the Tacoma office,
This will be the Vienna's first trip to
Tacoma. She is a vessel of 4,170 registered tonnage and was built in 1883 at
Glasgow. Her dimensions are: Length.
376.2 feet; breadth, 48 feet: depth, 26.2
feet. ger, the cook, All four were drowned



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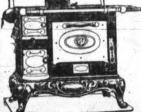
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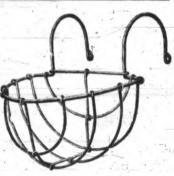
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PICKERING WILLING TO HANDLE THE VICTORIA LACROSSE TWELVE

B. C. L. A. Wants Capital City
Team for Next Season; a
British Tour

The tour which will start next May, will last ten weeks, Mr. Hawes, of the British association, is now engaged in selecting the team.

Vancouver, Jan. 30.—The old British Columbia Lacrosse association, is to be resurrected this year. Vancouver A. C. professionals and the New West-minster players of last season are the

Tictoria will undoubtedly be represented in the B. C. L. A. this season. There are several parties in the city who are willing to go behind a team and Harry Pickering, the Vancouver defense star, has stated his willingness to come over to the Capital and manage the club. All that Pickering asks is a permanent position, while Micky Ions, Sibby Nichols and several others are willing to come here for steady positions. It is Just possible that John Virtue, the Oak Bay hotel magnate, will be asked to take over the local franchise.

London, Jan. 30.—Con Jones and Harry Cowan, of Vancouver, who have come here in an endeavor to promote an interchange of visits between lacrosse teams, state that they have guaranteed the expenses of a picked British amateur team to four Canada.

METROPOLITANS ARE LEADING THE LEAGUE

The Metropolitan church basketball five The Metropolitan church basectaal rives ewamped the Centennial crew by the score of 33-21, in the Y. M. C. A. hall hast night. In the first period the Centennials managed to keep their opponents in check and when the whistle blew the score stood 13 all. The second period the Metropolitans ran away from their opponents, scoring 20 points, while the losers secured but 8.

Knott, who made his initial appearan

Knott, who made his initial appearance on the victors' line-up, proved a sensation. He was very fast and his shooting was excellent. The result of this victory for the Metropolitans puts them in the lead for the championship, having a slight lead over the Baptists.

Saturday night two games will be played. James Bay will endeavor to win their first game of the season when they appear against the Congregational team, while the Centennial and Baptist fives will clash in the second contest of the evening. The teams for last night's game lined up as follows:

Metropolitan—Forwards—Wills and Rop.

Metropolitan-Forwards Wills and Rob-grison; centre, Knott; guards, Plumb and

ind. Centennial Forwards, McKinley and sunt; centre, Young; guards, Brethou League Standing.

Teams-	Won	Lost.	Pts.
Metropolitan	4	-1.	8
Baptist		1	6
Centennial	3,	2 .	6
Congregational	2	3	4
James Bay	0	4	0

EMPRESS EXPERTS WON TWO GAMES

Another large crowd witnessed last night's games in the city billiard league, which were played on the Empress tables, the latter team defeating the Broad street hall quintette three out of five games. The mitches were seceptionally close, Perry winning by 10 Points from Penketh, while Woods had but nine points on Simpson in their game. B. J. Perry's unfinished break of 28 was high.

The next match in the series will be played next Wednesday at the Westholme and Empress teams.

Last night's scores:
Sale (Empress), 237; Taylor (Broad St. hall), 202.

McLue (Empress), 250; Sexsmith (Broad St. hall), 202.

Perry (Empress), 250; Penketh (Broat, hall), 240. (Empress), 250; Robins

BRITISH CUP-TIES

following are the games to the British cup ties: English Cup Ties—Second Round..
Birmingham vs. Huddersfied Town.
Bolton Wanderers vs. Swindon Town.
Burnley vs. Derby County.
Blackburn Royers

Blackburn Rovers vs. Bury.
Sunderland vs. Plymouth Argyle.
West Ham United vs. Crystal Palace.
Exeter City vs. Aston Villa.
Swansea Town vs. Queen's Park Rang

s. Millwall Athletic vs. Bradford City. Glossop vs. Preston North End, Brighton and Hove Albion vs. Clapt

Sheffield United vs. Bradford. Leeds City vs. West Bromwich Albi - Scottish League. Queen's Park vs. Hearts, St. Mirren vs. Celtic.

Rangers vs. Raith Rovers.
Dundee vs. Partick Thistle.
Hiberalans vs. Ayr United.

ANDERSON GETS OUT.

Baturday against Empires at North Ward park: McKenzie, J. Ord, C Bishop, J. Tunnicliffe, McDougal, F. Drake, Cummins, Pike, Hodgson, Lane Mulcahy. Reserves, Jno. Cummins Thomas, McDougal.

PANDORA ELEVEN.

The following team is picked to play on Saturday against the Men's Own at Beacon Hill: Loveridge, Muir (capt.), Castle, I. Day, Williams, Fyfe, Lifton, Watson, Fisher, A. Day, Helt. Reerve, Porter.

SPORTING GOSSIP OF THE DAY

Royals will arrive on this afternoon'

oat for to-night's game Danny Shea and Dutch catchers Spokane has,

Victoria will certainly have enoug

Muggsy McGraw need not worry over

Wilson signing with the Feds. He still has Meyers and McLean. Hugh Lehman says the Royals will that scores, that wins games these

Wanderers, Ottawas and Canadiens have asked for Joe Hall's removal from professional hockey.

With Petticrew back on the Wards, Sam Lorimer calls the green and white team to win the Island title.

North Wards will have their team at full strength for their open match at the Royals Athletic park.

Joe Bayley showed a lot of speed in his bout against Al Davies, and is a yastly improved boy over a year ago.

Should Victoria land Jack Bliss from Sacramento, they will have the best backstop in the Northwestern league.

Since going to New York, Bob McAl-lister, the San Francisco heavyweight, has cleared \$3,590. He has been in three fights. At that rate it would be hard to estimate how much money Battling Levinsky possesses.

Manager Chance, of the Yankees, ha irned Outfielder Harry Wolter

Charley Kirby, Canadian middle-weight champ, has written Promoter McCarry asking for a match in Los Angeles with Clabby or any other top notcher for some early date.

Manager McGraw appears to have (Broad St. hall), 187.
Simpson (Empress), 241; Woods (Broad Outfielder Pitz, of the Richmond club in the Virginia league. In 110 games last year he stole 72 bases.

ALLAN CUP MAY

LEAVE THE 'PEG

Toronto, Jan. 30 .- Guinea Bawlf, of the amous Winnipeg Victorias, holders he Allan cup, and his brother, Clare the Allan cap, and his brother, Clarence, were in town en route to Europe for a three mouths' trip. Bawif says that Alex. Romerli, the Toronto Canoe club star rover, who is out with Victorias, will get his place on left wing while he is gone. He says Romerli has everything but a good shot! Alan Klemmer, the T. C. C. right wing with Winnipegs, is being used on the intermediate feam.

"I expect the Allan cup to come east this season," said Bawif. "The Victorias have beaten both the Pegs and Monarchs, and I know we are not as good as last year. I hope the O. H. A. champions come up."

V.W.A.A. TEAM.

second division football team was held last night and Bolton was the choice of the throng for captain. Stan. Stew-art was elected vice-captain.

Next Monday evening Frank Barrisau and Billy Weeks will meet in a
four-round bout in Vancouver as the
headliner of a programme at the Hasthigs Athletic club. Bud Anderson, the
Oregon boxer, has called off his scheduled match with Barrieau.

WARD INTERMEDIATES.

WARD intermediate team for
North Ward intermediate team for

Remaires at North

of the throng for captain.

The following players are requested to be present at Jack Day's landing at
1.30 o'clock sharp to represent Victoria West for their game with Sir
John Jackson at Albert Head: Goal,
Davies: backs, Stewart and Bolton;
halves, Ward, Mesher and Davies;
forwards, Plump, James, Youson, Muir
and Carmichael.

WELSH THE VICTOR.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 30.—Freddie Welsh, lightweight champion of Eng-land, defeated Leo Kelley, of St. Louis, in an eight-round contest.

BOWLING ASSOCIATION.

A plan is on foot to organize all bowlers on the Pacific coast under an association to be known as the Pa-cific Coast Bewlers' association.

The Last Saturday Before Stock-Taking



A preliminary glance through the stock preparatory to our annual stocktaking brought to light a few odd lines in broken sizes that we know you would like to have, more especially that we are able to offer them at striking price reductions in order to get them off our hands to-morrow. These special offers will be your last chance at really good bargains this season. Take advantage

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RIFLE SHOOT.

The Fifth Regiment miniature rifle A meeting of the Victoria West shoot will be held in the drill hall to night, commencing at 7.30 Those competing will not be charged for ammunition.

HUNT CLUB MEET.

Members of the Victoria Hunt club will meet to-morrow at the Cedar Hill hurch at 2.30 o'clock.

CANUCK ENTERS.

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 30.—A Toronto hooter, Roy W. Van Vlack, will be a competitor in the Grand Prix du Caine at Monte Carlo next month. This s the premier trapshooting event of

AD. WINS ANOTHER.

Fond, du Lac. Wis., Jan. 30.—Ad. Wolgast, former lightweight champion, knocked out Rudy Unholse, the Boer lightweight, in the second round of a outcome of his injuries. scheduled 10-round contest.

ROBBER STRIKES, THEN SECURELY BINDS WOMAN

Patrolman Stabbed, Pursues an Captures Men in Seattle in Early Morning.

Seattle, Jan. 30.—Struck in the face by a robber who entered her home at 146 east Fifty-sixth street yesterday afternoon, Mrs. J. R. Johnson was knocked unconsclous and bound hand and foot in the basement and fastened to a post supporting the floor. Regaining consciousness, Mrs. Johnson was a unable to free herself, and was rescued three hours later by her daighter.

Patrolman F. H. Risley, of S. Fesler Way, was seriously stabbed in the back by one of three men whom he was a tempting to disperse while they were creating a disturbance and using foul flanguage in front of his home at 1 o'clock this morning. Though baddy cut the managed to pursue the two men he had not siready hand-cufed, and they had not siready hand-cufed, and they are now in the city jail awaling the aguing the floor of this figure being about eight, the and not siready hand-cufed, and they are now in the city jail awaling the outcome of his injuries. Patrolman Risley was taken to the city hospital.

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Vancouver Sculptor Has Concei

where he was told by the attending BULLET FOR STRAY CAT PLOUGHED WOMAN'S SCALP

Tacoma Jan 30 - Deflected by a rock a bullet fired at a stray cat late yesterday crashed through a window in man occupying a front seat appeared the Hotel Bonneville, grazing the neck to be in difficulties. He stood up as

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WESTMINSTER LADIES WILL PLAY AT WILLOWS ARENA ON FEB. 7

Royals Look for a Win Tonight Over Champions;
the Teams

to win by a couple of goals. On their showing against Vancouver, Tuesday night, Victoria should certainly win with something to spare.
It must not be forgotten, however, that Victoria will be playing its fourth game in eleven days, while the Royals have had a full work's cert.

in the first game for the provincial title on Saturday, February 7, at the Willows Arena. This morning a letter Genre.

title on Saturday, February 7, at the Willows Arena. This morning a letter was received from Mrs. C. S. Davies, president of the Wesiminster Ladies' club, stating that the Royal City team woull be willing to play here. A telegram, stating that the locals would pay all the expenses of the trip, was immediately sent the Wesiminster president, and the game is booked for a week to-morrow.

Backed up against the wall, Westminster will literally be fighting for a chance to remain in the running for the P. C. H. A. honors when they meet the Senators at the Willows Arena to night. Hugh Lehman in an interview given out at Vancouver states that the Salmon Bellies have a chance to come through with a belated rush and cop the championship. He figures that the Vancouver team has just about shot its bolt, and he expects to win from the Victoria septette to-night as a starter for the Royals' final sprint. a starter for the Royals' final sprint. Lester Patrick is equally as confident of winning, and he looks for the locals Ros

Arrangements have been completed to have the Westminster Ladies, borse will referee the game, while Nighborkey club meet the Victoria ladies in the first same for the westminster victoria ladies.

Position, Westminster. Lindsay Goal LehmanPointRochon

See the "Kissing Cup" to-day at

REMARKED ON THE SIDE

Royals Fighting for a Chance.

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Not only are the Royals at the bottom of the Coast league, but the Westminster team are up against the proposition of winning all of their remaining games if they are to figure in the race for the Paterson cup. The yellow and black septette have been hounded by tough luck since the opening of the season, but the club, is in better slipse than ever right now and is anxious to repeat the victory of January 2, when it defeated Victoria 5 to 4, at the Willows. The Senator's are also travelling at top form and Manager Lester Patrick is confident that with a reasonable amount of luck his proteges will once more be able to cop the championship of the P. C. H. A. A win over the Royals, however, is imperative if the locals are to hold the Paterson trophy.

Ritchie is Getting Too Heavy.

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It is now intimated by those close to Willie Ritchie that inability to make the weight is the one and only reason for the champion's prolonged idleness. As already pointed out, this seems to be the most logical and probable reason for Ritchie's strange actions. Ritchie dreads to acknowledge that he has outgrown the class, as that would mean sacrificing the title. In setting the date of his match with Murphy in April Ritchie hoped to encounter more favorable weather for weight reducing. It is probable also that he figures that Murphy, becoming impatient at so many delays, will finally consent to meet him at catch weights rather than lose the match altogether. A strange state of affairs will come to pass if Ritchie is forced to step aside without being defeated. Electing a new champion seems to be a most difficult matter, judging by the length of time it takes to fill the vacant welter and middleweight thrones. Were the lightweight division also without a leader championship matches would be decidedly scarce. would be decidedly scarce,

BIG TEAMS WILL

Island League Senior Clubs to Open Schedule; the

Wards and Wests meet to morrow afternoon in the feature match of the senior division opening in the Island league series, and arrangements have been completed to have these clubs meet at the Royal Athletic park. The games scheduled for Saturday are as

mediate league, the grounds will be: Wards vs. Empires, North Ward park; Pandoras vs. Men's Own, Beacon hill; Wests vs. Sir John Jackson, Albert

International Possibility. Toronto Telegram: The eastern pro-fessional league have been invited to join the International Soccer union of America. This will be a strong organ-ization, and will comprise four of the strongest leagues in America, and falling the eastern professional league being admitted into the Ontario Football association, and so come under the control of the D. F. A., they will have to join the above, which wilt-include the strongest clubs in America, so some good football is sure to be staged here next season.

Newcastle United, it is said, have will a havering after Blair, the Clyde

Newcastle United, it is said, have still a hankering after Blair, the Clyde back, but they appear to buck at the transfer fee of \$10,000. Clapton Orient are the only team in the second division Birmingham have

not met yet this season, and the clubs are not due to oppose one another until

April.

The most important step yet taken in the history of soccer football in the Northwest has just been announced by President McPherrin in the affiliation of the Northwestern Football league with the United States of America

FOUR TEAMS ARE LIKELY FOR LEAGUE

Basketball Organization Considered a Certainty; Subcommittees for J. B. A. A.

It has been practically decided that he James Bay A. A. will enter the roposed City Basketball league, hich will be organized next Monday ight at the Victoria West club rooms The Bays have completed their plans for a club league, the following com for a club league, the following committee having charge of argangements:

J. Y. Simpson (chairman), O. Falconer, J. A. McDonald, R. Travis and
P. Beasley.

Y. M. C. A. are certain to enter a

five, while it is just possible that a picked team from the Church league will enter to complete the fourth club necessary for a successful league. Basketball enjoyed tremendous support a couple of years ago and earnest steps are being taken to revive this sport: Following are the different sub-com

Soccer: J. Adams, C. Thomas, H. Mossley, C. Breadner, J. Hine, S. Lortmer (capt.), and J. Greig. Senior Rugby: W. Newcombe, W. Day, J. mer (capt.), and J. Greig. Seniol Rugby: W. Newcombe, W. Day, J. Houston, C. Baylis, R. McInnes (capt.) and J. Shires. House: T. Armstrong R. Peden (capt.), N. E. Lidner, C. R. Lidner, J. A. McDonald and W. Me-

VETERAN HORSEMAN SUFFERS BIG LOSS

Totals 572 569

Toronto, Jan. 30. George Pepper, whose famous show and Jumping horses were destroyed in the Ottawa explosion, may retire from the sport. He is heartbroken over the unfortunate ending of his prize thoroughbreds and has not yet made up his mind what he will do.

When seen Mr. Pepper declared that his losses amounted to approximately \$30,099, not covered by insurance.

Five years ago he lost his noted jumpers "Pearle" and "Senator," and in 1881 the famous "Roseberg" was destroyed. This horse was valued at \$25,099 at the time of its death.

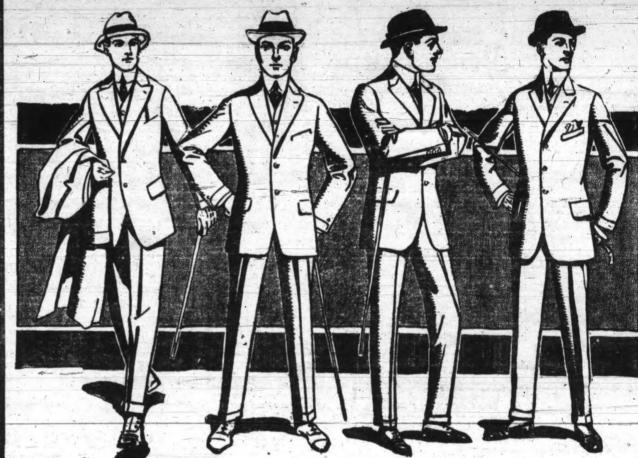
Mr. Pepper is well known to Ylctorians, having acted as judge at the Ylctorian horse show upon a number of occasions. He is looked upon as the finest judge of horse fiests in the Dominion.

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Out Staff; Other Ac
Out Staff; Other Acquisitions

Victoria has ten young pitchers and four catchers signed up to date; the list of battery candidates has not yet en completed, and the managen announce that they expect to land a veteran twirler in a week or ten days. This slab artist has been turned loose by the Coast league teams and Presi-dent Wattelet figures that he could more than hold his own in northwest-

ter. Mike Lynch has grabbed another scription of 25c., and it is requested that the members deposit the amount in the Pitcher Geo. Kelly, who is the property of the Chicago White Sox. Kelly stands six feet three inches tall and tips the six feet three inches tall and tips the six feet three inches tall and tips the scales at close to 200 pounds, and Mr. Farr expects him to take his turn in the box with the regulars when the

San Francisco, Jan. 30.—Ben-Hender-son, who pitched for Portland in 1912 and was with the Toledo American as-sociation team last season, has signed up with the San Francisco team. The Detroit Americans are going to turn over Fitzsimmons, a recruit short-stop, to the Providence club of the In-ternational league.

LADIES' CUP WILL BE PLAYED FOR NEXT MONTH

more than hold his own in northwestern company. Manager Delmas has been instructed to get this fellow if his terms are at all reasonable, so that the chances of Victoria Inading this twirler are exceptionally good.

It is rumored that Seattle has traded Lee Strait to Syracuse for Outfielder Gene Good, while Geo. Nill may also join that club. The eastern management announce that these deals have been completed, but President Dugdale has not yet said anything on the mater of the first of these dates for Frankie Neil knecked out Prighting Dick at last night's meeting of the ladies of the victoria Golf club. It was also decided to affiliate with the Ladies' Golf later, Neil was knocked out by Abe Atteil in the 13th round. Frankie was one of the clevers of the little fellows, and held be handleapped, instead of from world from 1903 to 1905. In the latter year boggy, as has been usual. To meet all he went into the featherweight division, and as topped him in the for Frankie dates.

In 1906-1908—On the first of these dates for Frankie Neil knocked out Prighting Dick at last plank in the 18th round at Eroc on the second date, three years the English boxer, but in 1909 Frankie Neil knocked out by Abe Atteil in the 18th round. Frankie was one of the Lee Strait to Syracuse for Outfielder Gene Good, while Geo. Nill may also join that club. The eastern management announce that these deals have been completed, but President Dugdale has not yet said anything on the mater of the ladies of th

FITZSIMMONS WINS OVER K. O. SWEENEY

Williamsport, Pa., Jan. 39.-Robert Fit of the world, displayed much of his old night in a six-round bout with "Knock Out" Sweeney, of Cleveland. It was hi ring several years ago, and pugilistic experts asserted he had "Come back." Fitz simmons' blows were powerfut, and Sweeney was knocked down and took th

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4

Mail Orders now received at the Royal Victoria Theatre. Prices: \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.50 and \$1:00

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

K Harper, of Vancouver, is a guest the Dominion hotel.

Erich Heuser, of Montreal, is a gue

A. B. Carle, of Medicine Hat, is stay

A. B. Carle, of Medicine Hat, is ng at the Dominion hotel.

P. H. Wilson, of Chilliwack, is fered at the Dominion hotel.

J. D. Price, of Vernon, returned the Empress hotel yesterday.

H. Newmarch, of Vancouver, is registered at the James Bay hotel

A. Porteous, of London, England, taying at the Empress hotel. J. Munro, of Nanainto, is at the minion hotel for a short stay:

F. C. Rogers has taken up his lence at the James Bay hotel. Boyd Ehle has returned from Ne ork and is at the James Bay hotel.

N. F. O'Brien registered at the Emress hotel yesterday from London. Mrs. J. P. Shaw, of New Westmi

F. C. Fahey registered at the Do-M. J. Connell, of Seattle, is among the norning's arrivals at the Empress

Edwin A. Wells and Horatio Webb re guests at the Dominion hotel from G. W. Hamilton' registered 'at the

hotel this morning

P. O. Hanley, who registered at the Empress hotel yesterday, is from Port Coquitlam.

H. D. Sangille, a well-known Port-

J. B. Christie, of Atlin, is in the cap tal on business. ital on business. He is staying at the

Ernest Farrell and Mrs. Farrell, of Vancouver, are among the guests at he Dominion hotel. E. J. Palmer, the wealthy Chemainus man, is a guest at the Empress

hotel for a few days; George Stover, of Toronto, arrived in lown from the east this morning and went to the Empress hotel.

Geo. Hogg and Jas, Anderson hav arrived from Seward, Alaska, and are staying at the James Bay hotel.

Noble Binns, a well-known residen of Trail, came into the capital this orning and registered at the Empres

H. J. Hutchinson, a prominent citizen of Ladner, is staying at the Do

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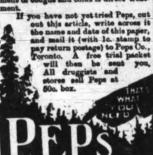


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hotel during his visit in the capital.

Leaving yesterday for Seattle, Miss A Paris Chemist Has Discov Pearl Humber, accompanied by Mrs. Russ Humber, started on a trip to San Diego, Cal.

Among those who are here from Winnipeg are Mrs. Walter B. Lawson and her mother, Mrs. North. They are at the Glenshiel Inn.

E. Treau registered at the Domin ion hotel this morning from Lac Ste. Anne, Alberta. He was accompanied by M. M. Cameron, of Edmonton.

J. F. Breeze, G. E. Vaughn, C. W. Yeo, William H. Crowe and Mrs. Crowe are among the Vancouver people who came over on the night boat and regis-tered at the Empress hotel this morn-



AND CLOTH

Skirt in white cloth, draped on one ide. Corsage in Indian red velvet with a fox collar. Sepia Portraits.-Artistic to a degree

reasonable prices. The Skene Lowe udio, 654 Yates, corner Douglas. The Big Annual Masquerade Ball of the Fraternal Order of Eagles will be held in Connaught hall, February 17. Ladies, one dellar; gentlemen,

SATURDAY PROGRAMME ert of Ladies' Musical Club

Take Part

The following is the programme to be given under the auspices of the Ladies Musical club at the ball-room of the Alexandra club on Saturday next at 3.3 rio (2 violins and pia

Trio (2 violins and plano)—Andante
Grazioso Mosart
Miss Nora Lewis, Miss Neva Stuart.
Plano—A La Bien Airnee. Edouard Schutt
Miss Eva Neal.
Violin—Sonata in A Major Handel
Miss Jessie Carter.
Piano—Le Papillon Miss Alleen Grubb.
Vocal—(a) Where My Caravan Has
Rested Hermann Lohr
(b) Mifanroy Dorothy Foster
Miss Green.
Piano—Valse Caprice Bachmann
/ Miss Violet Taylor.
Vocal—(a) Mother o' Mine Tours
(b) To Anthea Happon
R. J. Macaulay,
No encores will be given.

encores will be given is the first concert ert of the Ladie

"THE SPOILERS."

Stage carpenters and scenic artists have been busy all day and all night at the Victoria theatre this week presaring the gorgeous scenery which will mark the Royal Stock company's production of "The Spollers" next Monday night. Many former Alaskans will recognize the famous Northern Dance hall of Nome, where one of the most dramatic scenes of the play enacted. The opening scene of the ship sailing from the dack on the beginning of its eventful trip to the gold-fields is a mechanical effect which fields is a mechanical effect which ducer than Mr. Royal, but in the shot week available for its construction really magnificent scene has bee

The story of "The Spoilers" is true so true that one well known resident of this city will have the novel ex-perience of seeing himself impersonated in the play. The romance which Rex Beach has woven around the hisnoric events which followed the cem-ng of the law to Nome is a gripping tale of manly heroism and womanly love, and so well have Mr. Royal's exellent players been cast that the thoroughly artistic presentation strong and beautiful play.

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It has been proven that Henna leaves contain the ingredients that will positively grow hair. That they contain this long-looked for article is proven every day.

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the market a preparation containing the extract from Henna leaves, which the extract from Henna leaves, which is having a phenomenal sale.

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Jan. 39 .- 5 a.m. - The baromet

Forecasts. For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Saturday. Victoria and vicinity—Fresh to strong esterly and southerly winds, partly loudy, with showers.

Lower Mainland-Light to modera winds, mostly cloudy, with occasion

Victoria-Barometer, 30.22; temperature 0; minimum, 40; wind, 20 miles W.; rain

minimum, weather, rain.
weather, rain.
ancouver—Barometer, 39.18; tempera

ture, 36; minimum, 8; wind, 6 miles S.; weather, cloudy.

San Frâncisco-Barometer, 30.46; temperature, 46; minimum, 44; wind, 4 miles N. W.; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert-Barometer, 29.90; temperature, 38; minimum, 32; wind, caim, rain, 30; weather, cloudy.

Edmonton-Barometer, 29.82; temperature, 8; minimum, 6; wind, 4 miles N.; snow, 62; weather, part cloudy.

Winnipeg-Barometej, 20.25; temperature, 16 below; minimum, 20 below; wind; caim; weather, cloudy.

Victoria Dally Weather.

Victoria Daily Weather. Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and ma Thursday;

Temperature.

al state of weather, cloudy

LADY CRAVEN AND SHERIDAN.

The beautiful Lady Craven, accor-

ing to a new book of memoirs, had oc-casion once to be very angry with Sheridan for performing a play of hers three times without permission.
"I kept up my resentment (she writes) till he made me laugh one night, in a crowd coming out of the opera house. We were squeezed near one unother by chance, and he said, For God's sake, Lady Craven, don't tell anybody I am a thief, for you know very well, if you do, everybody will be-lieve it!"

CUTE CHILD.

The courage of the Turks is explained (according to a school-boy "bowler") by the fact that a man with more than one wife is more willing to face death than if he had only one.

A toddler sent to buy a packet of coar returned pennlices but blowing a trumpet. The explanation was that the village shop was out of the brand required, and he "didn't like to come away without buying something."

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"ROBIN HOOD."

the capable hands of Bessie Abott, the De Koven's fascinating opera "Robin Mascagni wrote "Ysobel" and whom Mascagni wrote "Ysobel" and whom Hood" will be heard at the Royal fins sung at, the grand opera in Paris and Metropolitan in New York. Miss was revived at the New Amsterdam last year. About created this role in the revival was revived at the New Amsterdam last year. George Frothingham, the theatre in New York last year and Friar Tuck of the original Bostonmet with instant success. The tune-lans, who has played this part more ful music is being sung this season as never before, as the Maid Marian is in seen in his favorite role.

à la Quina du Pérou

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Best First Baptist Church
Hear Encouraging Reports at

Annual Meeting.

Despite the inclemency of the weather, there was a splendid attendance of the membership of the First Baptist church at the annual meeting of that organize tion held last evening.

Bupper was served by the ladles ald at 5.30 p. m., following which the paator, Rev. John B. Warnicker, B. A., conducted a shoft devotional service. Reports received from every department gave the exceedingly gratifying indication that the shurch has just completed the best year.

The church clerk, J. W. H. King, B. A. reported a total membership of 388, of whom 47 were non-resident. The church treasurer, A. J. Clyde, reported net receipts for the year 1913 of 8,72.70, of which \$86.15 was contributed to missions. Jamea Middleton, chairman of the building committee, reported cash receipts of 110,781.22 during the year to the building committee, reported cash receipts of 110,781.22 during the year to the building committee, reported cash receipts for the various auxiliary departments, gave a total of \$17,341.22 receipts for the twelvemonths. The membership and moneys raised by the various organizations were as follows: Sunday school enrolment 129, receipts \$50.29; Ladies' Ald society, membership 53, receipts \$25.52; Women's Mission circle, members \$3, receipts 170.80; Mission band, members 17, receipts \$73.50; Young People's union, bo members, \$31.06 raised; Philathea class, enrolment 22, receipts \$10.50, missions \$150.



Naval Volunteers Make Good Showing, Having Two Teams in Running

H. M. S. Algerine No. 2 crew wo the silver cup presented by the officer the six-inch quick-firing gun, which was given last evening before a fash Two volunteer, two Algerine, and one Rainbow team took part, the volun-teers, particularly being cheered. The results were, each run being a one-

ninute period: 1. H. M. S. Algerine No. 2 crew

12 rounds; second run, 13 rounds, 10-tal points, 116.

4. Volunteer No. 2 crew First run, 11 rounds; second run, 12 rounds, To-tal points, 113.

5. Velunteer No. 1 crew First run, to rounds; second run, 12 rounds, tal points, 103.

It was mentioned by William Blakemore, president, when speaking of the
question of recognition of the volunteer
corps, that G. H. Barnard, M.P., had
endeavored to secure recognition from
the department, but that Mr. Hazen
had said nothing would be done till Admiral Kingsmill had made an investimatical diagrams of the coast.

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second was presented in the coast.

R. C. P. and M. R. C. S. England, and gation during his visit to the coast.

Sir Richard McBride referred to the unique character of the exhibition, and pointed out that no other city in Canada, could show such a display. He thanked the officers of the Imperial and Canadian navies for assistance given at a critical time. He foresaw in the organization the nucleus of a powerful body throughout the country, adding in the defence of the Dominion. While they might not obtain the official recognition they deserved right away, he had no doubt that it would soon come. The public would appreciate that they were doing what all Brit. ate that they were doing what all Lirit-



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COLUMBIA COAST MISSION. ual Reports Show Gratifying Pro-

gress; Decision to Appeal Thompson v. Mission and Tidey.

Gratifying reports of the work of the Columbia Coast Medical mission were presented at their annual meet-ing. A great advance, especially in the line of missionary enterprise, has been made in the past year, and the work of the Reys. A. D. Green and C. 1. H. M. S. Algerna.

First run, 15 rounds; second run, 16
2. H. M. S. Algerine No. 1 crew
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First run, 13 rounds; second run, 14
rounds. Total points, 143.
3. H. M. C. S. Rainbow-First run,
12 rounds; second run, 13 rounds. Total points, 116.
No. 2 crew-First run,
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Among the company witnessing the Among the company witnessing the demonstration were Commander Hose, solo in buildings, equipment, boats, Col. Roy, D.O.C., Lieut. Col. Currie, etc., equals \$50,218.88; a floating debt. Hon, D. M. Eberts, K.C., R. H. Poeley, H. P.P., and officials of the Navy league here, as well as the Navy league here, as well as the Navy league here, as well as the Empire. Mgg W. J. Roper, on behalf of the Columbia, \$4555 for a new engine for the latest hamed organization, presented a cheque to the fund to purchase hand instruments.

It was mentioned by William Blakemore, president, when speaking of the question of recognition of the volunteer west and instruments.

The report of the Thompson case versus the mission and Dr. Tidey

at the meeting were the Right Rev. ishers should undertake, namely, obtaining of the knowledge that would make them valuable in the event of a national emergency.

Lady McBride then presented the Scriven, M. A.; the Ven. Archdeacor Scriven, M. A.; the Revs. F. A. P. Heathcote, M. A.; the Revs. F. A. P. Chadwick, M. A.; C. C. Owen, F. Antle, H. C. L. Hooper, C. W. Houghton, Dr. E. M. Pearce, H. S. Crotty and E. Baynes Reed, and the secretary-treas-urer, T. F. Barton.

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worked among the natives in company with the late Dr. Thomas Crosby, who died only a fortaight ago. He was born in England, but came to this country. He was also the first pastor of several other churches on the lower maintand. All this ardious piones' work affected his health severely, but after he had applied for and obtained his supprannuation and later taking up an incumbency as a missionary of the Methodist church at the mouth of the Nans river, some fifty odd miles north of Prince Rupert. He was also the first pastor of several other churches on the lower maintand. All this ardious piones' work affected his health severely, but after he had applied for and obtained his supprannuation he could not rest upon his largest of the Methodist church at the mouth of the Nans river, some fifty odd miles north of Prince Rupert. Here were able to do so, and for this post his instance, which for many years left its impress on the missionary work among the Indians.

In 1890 he began his ministry among the white settlers in the new city of Van roouver, and ten years later established.

He was sixty-three years of age,

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10 Window Sections of Clothing Values 10

Starting with Section No. 1 at back of store on Yates Street, and running to Section No. 12 on Government Street, will be displayed the greatest values in high-grade Clothing eyer shown in British Columbia. Our reasons for giving such extraordinary values are these: We have had six months of good, profitable business and are now prepared to take a loss in order to clean up our stock.

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DUAL PURPOSE CON SUCCESS IN ENGLAND

Professor Shaw Addresses Live Stock Breeders on Controversial Topic

That only the removal of the embar-ing, he declared, but it was essen go on the importation of non-pedi-for them to realize that no breed the greed Shorthorn cattle could make it the best breed. Let each man use possible to introduce the much-discussed dual-purpose cow into Canada, was the statement of Professor Thom-as Shaw, chief of the Great Northern railway's agricultural department, at this morning's session of the Live Stock Breeders' association. Although there was much discussion pro and. yesterday on the possibility of breeding this type of animal, Professo Shaw was given a good hearing this morning and he was tendered an enthusiastic vote of thanks at the conclusion of his address.

Professor Shaw emphatically re-

Professor Shaw emphatically re-futed the statements of the so-called experts at the United States experi-mental station who had declared it was impossible to produce a cow cap-able of giving a good milk supply and and he had seen prize bullocks weighing from 1,800 to 10,000 pounds of milk a year. The experimental station experts had forgotten that like breeds like, and they had neglected to experiment with a few of the cattle in the Oid Country which were already proven sucty which were already proven suc. try which were already proyen successes in the dual purpose. By using tion they already hold will be well ital, and believes that there are severated up until they too were pedigraded up until they are they pure-bred sires the variety could be graded up until they too were pedi-

Dr. G. H. Hadwen preceded Professor Shaw this morning in a discussion on contagious diseases of animals in which a number of the principal all-ments and the methods of checking their spreading were taken up in a comprehensive and enlightening manner. The importance of grappling with this problem for the sake, of the public health was emphasized by Dr. Hadwen, who is from the experimental farm at Agassiz

Rumors that the government intended to alter the legislation respecting grazing permits on crown land caused urging that nothing be done until next year, and that in the meantime the government officials confer with the stock breeders in the range country respecting the necessities of the control of the stock of the country respecting the necessities of the necessities of

ise of the fact that grain and fruit Blaikie, and Mrs. Newell will give a

received and received and that grain and fruit would grow better if the land were fertilized regularly. Individuality was emphasized by Professor H. E. Van Norman, of the University of California, in his address on dairy herds. Farmers in this country did not stay on farms long nough to do much successful breedbreed which seemed to him best, and with which he had the best success.

This afternoon Professor Van Norman and Alex. Lucas, M.P.P., were the chief speakers. This evening the business of the meeting will be cleared up and a banquet will be held at 9 o'clock

MEETINGS

Daughters of Empire.—The Florence Nightingale chapter, I. O. D. E., meets on Monday at 2.30 in the Alexandra committee room, and the postponed also take place in another room of the Alexandra club at the same hour. meeting of the Camosun chapter

as soloists in Victoria, and the reputa

Holding Dance.-Mizpah Court No. 2, Order of Amaranth, intend to make their dance on Monday next one of the most attractive ever held by the court. The dance will be held in the Knights of Pythias hall, and the tickets are being rapidly disposed off. Those desirous of obtaining them should make application to the members or to the office, 1218 Government street. Amaranth, intend to make

To Hold Banquet.—Next Monday questions about the character of i evening the Oaklands Methodist church, Gosworth road, is to hold a banquet. Dinner will be from 6.30 to 8 p.m., after which there will be an expendance.

stock breeders in the range country respecting the necessities of the situation.

Arts and Crafts Club.—A general iffe in the \$30,000 fire which a the club will be held in the Alexandra club of Wednesday, February 4, at 8.30 p.m. A paper entitled "Notes on the address last night. The reason so lit." Making of Pictures and Ideas of the 300 tenants were driven it le of it was done he believed was be-

First Annual Hall. The Vic-toria Lodge No. 2, of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of the Dominion of Canada, will give their first annual ball in the Alexandra ball-room on Friday evening, February 6.

Chinese Concert.-The Chinese student band will hold its first concert to night at 8 o'clock in the Chinese Meth-odist church, Fisquard street (near the corner of Store street.) As well as the usual musical instruments the orches træ will include some Chinese instruments, and the singing of English songs will be another feature of the enter-

Fusileer Band Concert—At the concert to be held at the Victoria theatre at 8.45 Sunday evening the Fusileer band will be assisted by Madame Marie Burnett, mezzo soprano; Miss Nora Atkinson, the girl violinist; Miss May German and Mr. Maurice Atkinson, planists. The band will be conducted by Reginalde G. Rowland.

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50c	95c	Regular 50c Suspenders. various patterns and styles. Battle Sale Price 25c	50c	95c
Regular 20c Fine Linen Hemstitched Handker-chiefs. Battle Sale price, 3 for	Regular \$20.00 Suits in every fashionable color. Battle Sale price	Regular 25c Ties, various colors and designs. Battle Sale Price	Regular \$9.50. Raincoats. Battle Sale price	Regular 25c heavy weigh Wool Sox. Battle Sal price, 2 pairs
Regular \$1.25 Khaki and heavy black Work Shirts. Battle Sale price	Regular \$20.00 and \$25.00 Overcoats with convertible collars. Battle Sale price, your choice \$14.25	Regular 10c Handkerchiefs, Battle Sale Price—Six for 25c	Regular \$15.00 Worsted and Tweed Suits, all new mod- els. Battle Sale price	Regular \$1.25 Flannelett Nightshirts, various pa terns. Battle Sale price
egular \$1.50 Pants, strong and reliable. Battle Sale price	Regular \$2.50 Suit Cases. Battle Sale price	Regular \$10 Navy Blue and Fancy Suits—all sizes Battle Sale Price \$5.25	Regular \$1.00 Heavy Black Overalls, with or without bib. Battle Sale price	90c Regular \$1.50 Umbrella self opening, with reliable covers. Battle Sale price
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anteed Raincoats. Pattle Sale price	heavy ribbed Underwear; vests and drawers. Battle Sale price, per garment	Regular 75c Overalls, with bib; extra Special. Battle Sale Price	and Print English Oxford Shirts with and without collars. Battle Sale price	Regular \$1.75 heavy blue Flannelette Work Shirts Battle Sale price \$1.10
Regular \$2.50 Sweater Coats; grey with colored facings. Battle Sale price	Regular \$1.75 and \$2.00 Fedora Hats. Battle Sale price	Regular \$2.50 and \$3.50 Fedora and Telescope Hats Battle Sale Price	Regular \$10.50 Cravenette Overcoats, plain greys and fancies; all sizes. Battle. Sale price	Regular 2 for 25c Lines Handkerchiefs. Battle Sale price, each

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The engineering department will have ady for the meeting of the streets minditee this afternoon a list of reets upon which work is to be done, id after the addermen have considered the list, at will be determined in hat order the work is to be taken up, he leading members of the council are consident that the money will be railable in a month's time it is excited the labors of the industrial, minittee, at any rate so far as the bor bureau is concerned, will be eatly lightened.

To that committee has been referred rrespondence with regard to the results under the labors of the bureau to make it more effective service. Attempts to

row it open to all labor, private as all as public, have so far been resisting of the private expension of the ground that as the city linged private employment bureaus, it ight not to enter into competition the them, and that therefore the bureau should be limited to evice labor. should be limited to civic labo.



. TRIOTISM.

To the Editor:-Justin Gilbert's letter list night was all right. It was without doubt his best effort on the subject. It most trenchantly gives the matter the bearing and effect it should recome.

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an irreligious people, as Justin Gilbert I have she says, and with much truth, to do, for laboring s they will tell you, tell plainly, they have no use for it. B. J. SHELTON.

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laboring, wou should support the And to remember the words of Lord Jesus, how He said, it is blessed to give than to receive."

WHAT SAITH THE SCRIPTURES?

There is just one more point, I won! like to ask Mr. Gilbert, If there as twenty churches, teaching, differer doctrines letter of the 28th inst. I would like to say that I think this question. British justice to ask him to pay taxe



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Enamel Tea Kettle	1.15	.80
Enamel Drip Pans		.60
Enamel Pie Plates	15	.10
Enamel Wash Basins		.25
Enamel Soap Dishes		.10
Enamel Cake Plates	20	.15
Aluminum Tea-pots	2.75	1.85
Aluminum Coffee Pots	2.30	1.80
Aluminum Percolators	5.00	3.85
Aluminum Drip Pans		1.25
Aluminum Cake Pans		.30
Aluminum Cups		.25
Scrub Brushes		.10
Scrub Brushes		.20
Wood Rolling Pins		.15
Carving Sets	2.25	1.75
Linoleo		.30
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No. 31 Yankee Screw Driver	3.00	2.25
No. 410 Sargent Fore Plane	4.00	2.45
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No. 3411 Sargent Smooth Plane	2.50	1.40
No. 35 Stanley Smooth Plane	2.25	1.65
No. 36 Stanley Smooth Plane	2.35	1.80
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No. 15 Stanley Plumb and Level	2.50	1.50
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netic in looking back upon the picture, the drew of the state of the country in his speech at Gregnock in October, which results sounds reasonable, whereupon said the veteran. "I nature place where we have upon ally arrested him." If this be not "the limit" then all boundaries have gone, First one's sides ache with taughter then one's heart aches with sorrow on perusyl of the evidence of this one of the most remarkable triats on record and what think you is going to be

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alas, for unrecorded utterane t that moment the Russian amba react moment the russian ambassa-r was anbounced, and the then Radf-l ex-president of the board of trade cked himself out of the imperial essence, the richer by a magnificent ld snuff box richly encrusted with

THE PRICE OF LAUGHTER.

have dealt in these columns with price that is paid by a long suffer-humanity for such commodities as , speed, and other trifles dear to heart of civilization. The recent tr-martial in Strasboarg, which se out of the action of German milli-sofficers in connection with the ern incident, affords a remarkable interesting illustration of what. capera incident, affords a remarkable, and interesting illustration of what I may designate as the price of harmess hilarity. The telegraph will have given you the details, long ago, so I need not expetiate upon them. Electricity plays have with correspondence as it does with many another practice of the past, But the point I want to make is this. Had be neare ant to make is this. Had the peace sarty carefully thought out a plan a hereby to focus public opinion upon the question of disarmament, and the better than what has happened

lete therefore with experience c

London, Jon. 10.—Mr. Joseph Cham, beriain has retired "officially" at last though it is more than seven years since his voice was last heard in public. There is something singularly pathetic in looking back upon the picture he drew of the state of the country.

And what think you is going to it the outcome? If I have an ounce prescience in my composition, simp this, that the common sense of thardheaded Teuton will assert itse and he will say to the military fattor. This serie of thine has got to stop. themselves to be led and there is no comment prevision of what the rest of them.

ad! Surely no gloomier future could by any been made; yet she tood all there was in markably well. And to interpolated when

Has taken us rather longer to sort out and classify than we anticipated, and we were unable to fulfil our promise to publish to-day a list of the Rugs, etc.,

The List Will Be Published Sunday

It will repay you well to study this at your leisure, mark off on the list such Rugs as you care to bid for, and bring it with you to the Auction Sale on Monday morning. Remember, the Sale starts promptly at 10,30 a.m. Monday at our Emporium, opposite the Alexandra Club. It will be conducted for us by Mr. Stewart Williams.

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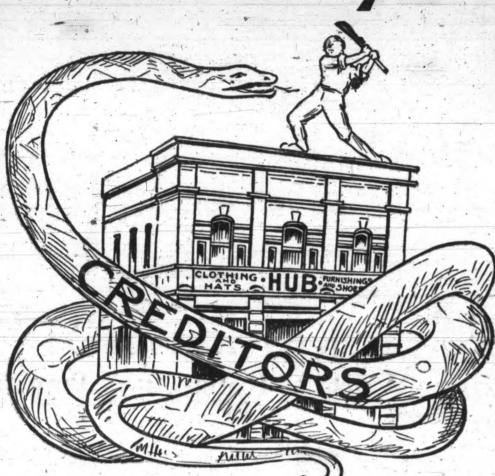
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HISTORY

To-Day in Canadian educator, was born at Pictou academy and the Universities of Chasgow and Berlin, and in 1896 was ordained a minister of the Church of Scotland by the presbytery of Ayr.

Returning to Canada in the year of confederation, he became pastor of St Andrew's church in Ottawa. He remained there fifteen years, and during that period gained a reputation as one of the most powerful pulpit orators of the Dominion. During this period he made a journey through the westers of the concending that period gained a reputation as one of the most powerful pulpit orators of the Dominion. During this period he made a journey through the westers of the concending that period gained a reputation as one of the most powerful pulpit orators of the Dominion. During this period he made a journey through the westers of the concending that period does not consider it necessarily successful years of the total this side of the Atlantic. He died in 1885, and was the first to introduce German opera to the measure of the Atlantic. He died in 1885, shortly after concluding a highly successful season of German opera at the Metropolitan opera house. His sons, Frank H. and Walter Damrosch vas the frender Jampsoch of Content of St. Although a native concluded in the Metropolitan opera house. His sons, Frank H. and Walter Damrosch vas the frender Jampsoch was the five died in 1885, shortly after concluding a highly successful season of German opera at the Metropolitan opera house. His sons, Frank H. and Walter Damrosch vas the frender Jampsoch was the five died in 1885, shortly after concluding a highly successful season of German opera at the Metropolitan opera house. His sons, Frank H. and Walter Damrosch vas the founder of the most powerful pulpation. The Scarlet Letter," which was successfully produced in a number of American cities. The New York Symphony orchestra, which he organized permanently in 1995, represents the greatest of his musical activities.

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of the most powerful pulpit orators of the Dominion. During this period he made a Journey through the westera Canada prairies and across the mountains to the Feace River country and northern British Columbia, and published an account of the trip under the title of "Mountain and Prairie." In 1882 he went to Winnipeg to become paster of Knox church, and while there he served as chaplain to Gen Middleston's troops during the Riel rebellion. He returned to his native province in 1883 to fill the pulpit of St. Andrew's church in Halifax. Twenty years ago he began his career as an educator as professor of theology in the Presbyterian college of Halifax. In 1896 he was moderator of the general assem—

ment in Germany.

From an artistic viewpoint, Mr.
Damrosch is equally opposed to Eurospean musical education. Those who go
abroad to study music, he declares,
"lose the youth, the vitality, the originality of the American." He adds:
"Americans should realize these things
and remember that all students need was moderator of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church in Canada. In 1992 he succeeded the great Principal Grant as vice-chancellor and principal of Queen's University at the chinage of the present that all students need principal of Queen's University at the chinage of the chinag

can be found as easily in New York as in Berlin and Paris." January 30 is the birthday of Baron Charles Theophilus Metcalfe, who was governor of Canada from 1843 until his death in 1846, at Calcutta, 1785; and of George Herbert Fairchild; famous as organist in churches of Hamilton, Toronto and United States cities, at Hamilton, Ont., 1889. On this date in 1847 Lord Eight took the oath of office as governor of Canada. ed so dismally to fulfill popular hopes, is said to be desirous of abdicating in favor of Boris. Bulgaria has been deprived of most of the spoils of the vic-tory which her troops did most and suffered most to win, and hundreds of tl usands of Bulgars have been on the terms of surgars have been on the verge of starvation since the close of the conflict, while nearly every family mourns for at least one of its male members. It is an unhappy prospect that faces the young prince if he should be called upon to take up the reins of government.

SCRAP BOOK. Bi-Centenary of Mrs. Cibber, Eng-Wonder what upset your stomach— which portion of the food did the dam-age—do you? Well, don't bother. If your stomach is in revolt; if sour. lish Actress and Singer.

This year marks the bicentenary of the birth of Susannah Maria Arne Cliber, one of the greatest of English actresses and a singer of such power that Handel wrote especially for her hat Handel wrote especially for he he contralto songs in "The Messiah." Mrs. Cibber, as she was generally known during the period of he known during the period of her fame, was born in 1714, although the exact date is unknown, and died January 39, 1769, just 148 years ago to-day. She was buried in Westminster abbey, the first actress so honored, and her eternal epitaph is the exclamation of the great Garrick when he heard of her death;
"Then tragedy has expired with her!"
Susannah Maria Arne was the
maiden name of the great actress and
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by Dr. Arne, her brother, a celebrated
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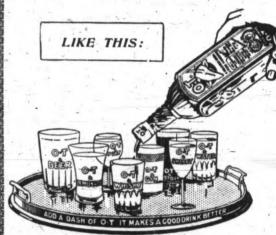
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P. railroad, midst of well settled districk, with irrigation and water free, all
ready to settle on. Climate ideal, fare
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NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at this present Seasion by the Corporation of the District of Sannich, for an Act to be called "The Sanarich, Water and Sewer Act, 1914." giving the the Corporation of the District of Sannich, for an Act to be called "The Sanarich water and Sewer Act, 1914." giving the the Corporation of the District of Sanalich (a) The power to create and define drainage and sewerses areas in the Said District, and to survey, build, maintain and operate drains and sewers in any one or more of said areas, and for such purpose. Lo expropriate or purchase lands, rights-of-way or easements, and to assess, levy and collect from the property owners in any said drainage and sewerage area a sufficient amount for the expense of surveying, building, maintaining and operating the drains and sewers for said area, and to borrow money for such purpose on the general credit of the Municipality and on property (whether occupied or not) within ann area of the Municipality and on property (whether occupied or not) within ann area of the Municipality and on drainage and sower rentals, and to make charges against ail lessees or occupiers of houses for rental for the wie of the said sewers and lished, and on drainage and sever rentals, and to make charges against all lessees or occupiers of liouses for rental for the use of the said sewers and drains, and to make all necessary arrangements with the Corporation of the City of Victoria and Municipality of Esquimal, or any other Municipality of Carry, or have carried, drainage and sewerage of the said Saanlch Municipalities, not to exercise all the powers which a Municipality may by by-law tion 58 of the Municipal Act with reference in drains and sewers.

(b) To purchase water from any Municipality or Corporation, and to retail it to any person. Carporation or Municipality, and to create and define water areas within the said Municipality, and to create and define water areas within the said Municipality, and to build, maintain and operate a water system in any one or prore of said areas, and to assess, levy and collect from the owners of property within said areas a sufficient sum to pay the cost of construction and maintenance of any said water system;

(c) To borrow money for the purpose of

ver to expropriate and purchase lands;

nd
(d) To purchase in bulk electric light tel For all the above positions of the content of the cessary by-laws and to enter on tracts to provide a sinking fund, and on tracts to provide a sinking fund, and on appoint and pay the necessary officials to administer and generally to do all such things as may be necessary or conductive to carry on the above objects.

Dated at Veteria, B. C. this 21st day of January, 194.

BARNARD, ROBERTSON, HEISTERMAN & TAIT,

Solicitors for the Applicants.

in the Matter of the Estate of Ludwig Hafer, Late of the City of Victoria, Deceased.

To Solicitors and Others: MISSING WILL. Mrs. Rosa Bruce (Otherwise Known as Mary Burgess), Deceased.

The above named lady, who resided in Victoria, British Cojumbia, until July, 1910, is believed to have signed a will there in or about the month of June, 1910, Any Solicitor or other person who can give any information as to the prepariation of the draft of a will for the decreased or the signature of a will by her is requested to communicate with RICHARD HALL.

requested to communicate with by he RICHARD HALL, 1222 Government St., Victoria, B.C., Lendon, Eng.

Suburban Homes, Strawberry Vale

51/2 Acres, all cleared, with good eight-roomed house, fruit and berries; trees of all kinds. Terms \$2000 cash, balance over two years. Price \$12,000

Eaton Avenue, six-roomed modern bungalow, with lot 100x200, good view of Portage Inlet. Terms \$750 cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 years. Price \$4750

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Six-room, modern house on Bei-mout Ave., between Pembroke and Fort streets, close to two oar lines, has full basement, piped for furnace, beam ceillings and built-in buffet in dining room, open fire-place in living room, three bed-rooms and bathroom upstairs; this, is located on a high part of Bel-noon Ave. and commands a beauti-ful view.

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Only \$1,990 cash and the balance on easy monthly payments, or the owner would accept either a clear title or en equity in a good lot as first payment.

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FOR SALE-LOTS

WNER has good lot, would like to trade for auto. Box 1995, Times. BARGAINS IN ESQUIMALT—2 lots close Admiral's roud, \$1,150 each; another near by for \$1,650 Inquire Edwin Frampton, McGregor Bdg., View, St. 52 CITY LOTS BARGAIN-Price \$675, high nd close to paved street, 5 minutes om car, suit workers in city; cash \$75 ad long terms. Edwin Frampton, Me-regor Bdg., View street, opposite sencer's.

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CALIFORNIA BUNGALOW, ed. , 8 rooms, four bed chan ned, 8 rooms, four bed chambers, wood floors, all new built-in fea-street paved, close in, Fairfield; 35,000, 4500 cash, balance like rent me to-night, telephone 1897. Leaf me to-mignt, telephone 1891.

BEAUTIFUL, NEW BLINGALOW-Price
Freduced to \$4,400, with nice easy terms:
all new and fully modern, street paved,
closs in, Fairfield. Call me to-night.

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1 From \$8. From \$4321K.

For \$10, 100 \$4321K.

WORKS ESTIMATES TO SUFFER DECREASE

Drop in That Department of Government Expected to Be Three Millions

Owing to the present financial condiions there is every indication of there being a very big drop in the forthcomoeing a very og drop in the lotten ing estimates for public works through-out the province. Last year the esti-mates for various works conducted by Mr. Taylor's department ran to about ten millions, but this year they are pected to reach under seven mil In other words, about one-third will be cut from the estimates of the year now closing, and the public expenditures if kept to the same proportion will show similar decrease.

According to a statement, made by he minister of public works the actual she minister or public works the actual expenditure for the fiscal year, now al-most at an end, was about \$8,390,000, or over one million less than the amount contained in the estimates. It is ex-plained that this drop came about as he result of the financial stringenc The government did not carry out quite all the estimates it had provided for. During 1914 and the early part of next year it is expected that the estimates will be lived up to, by reason of the seness of the paring now to be done That will mean that although there will be a \$3,000,000 reduction timales, the reduction in actual ex-penditures will possibly be not more han \$1.500,000, or the difference be-wern about \$6.700,000 as the possible estimates total for the forthcoming

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

MARRIED MAN, with family, would be glad of anyone offering him position as cierk or light employment. Box 1941

JI Times.

Olt SALE—New, eight-room house, corner lot 52x120, beamed ceiling, panelled walls, built-in buffet, granite fireplace, coment basement, sidewalk, etc. \$5.700, \$300 cash, balance monthly. Phone 894R.

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ton for city property. C. K., P. O. Box 886.

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Press Gallery Meeting.—At the annual meeting of the British Columbia. Require Information.-G. H. Barnard,

Press Gallery Meeting.—At the an-oual meeting of the British Columbia parliamentary press gallery yesterday Times.

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total met bought, telephone 180.

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NEARS ITS CLOSE

Four Members Contributed to

in this instance, as the government did not intend to die just yet a while. Reiterated Statement, Mr. Manson continued the argument of practically every Conservative member who has up to the present caught the speaker's eye. He justified the selling of huge blocks of crown lands by saying that the money was neces-sary to supply the province with educa-tion, and those works which are necessary to her welfare. He contended that in the land policy the government had treated Conservative, Liberal and Socialist allike. The whole regime of the present minister of that depart-ment had been conducted on business lines, without fear or favor.

about British Columbia that it is about British Columbia that it is a salker simeut matterette go anywhere without bumping into either a fire ranger or a game warden. Would it not be a better plan to have mounted police, who in addition to policing the province, could also act as fire rang-ers and game wardens? Something I think could be worked out on the fires I have given. I recommend the sur-

He thought' those words had now been proved to be true, and that the policy of the present government was well in line with that the old governor

had suggested. Nell Mackay, member for Kaslo moved the adjournment of the debate, which closed to-day.

HUGE AMOUNTS OVERDUE

Nearly Ten Millions Are Outstanding on Agricultural Lands Alone; Total Nearly Thirteen Millions. While so much has been said in the

lines, without fear or favor. (There was some subdued, ironical laughter in the gallery at this point).

Mr. Manson managed at the close of his speech to inject just a fittle criticism. He thought that the moneys due to the government on lands should be to the government on lands should be collected as soon as possible, so that they would be available for the man, amount overdue from various sources.



BILL RATIFYING SEWER **COMPACT INTRODUCED**

I have given. I recommend the suggestion to the consideration of the Discussion Will Take Place on house."

Discussion View of Portage Inlet.

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and among its members and more par-licularly, that species of knowledge which will promote the artistic, scionlific and practical efficiency of the pro-lession of architecture. The list of names making incorporation is headed by Hoult Horton, of this city.

Parker Williams, member for New-castle, moved the adjournment of the debate on thi sbill.

The adjournment of the debate on the dentistry act, a measure introduced by Mr. MacKenzie, was made by Sir Richard McBride, who said that he had not had time properly to look over the scope of the amendments proposed.

JOHN HAROLD DECLINES

Brantford, Ont., Jan. 30 .- John Harold, the Paris manufacturer, nominated by North Brant Liberals to oppose J. H. Fraser, M.P., in the next federal election, and who asked for time to consider, has declined.



Navy League **Public Meeting** in Royal Victoria Theatre Tuesday Evening, Feb. 3.

SPEAKERS Sir Richard McBride, K.C.M.G. Clive Phillipps Wolley, W. Blakemore, Dean Doull, Col. Hobday, Chair to be taken at 8 pm. by W. H. Langley, President Victoria and Esqui-

mait Navy League,
A first-class musical programme has
een arranged under the direction of Col. Hobday. Mrs. Macdonald Fahey. Mr. Paul Edmonds, Mr. George Phillips, and a chorus of Blue-Jackets will take part.

The public are cordially invited.

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OBITUARY RECORD

The funeral of the late Thomas Jal-The funeral of the late Thomas Jal-land will take place from Fairfield Methodist church on Saturday after-noon at 3 o'clock. The Reys, Dr. Scott and D. W. Ganton will conduct the service. The funeral arrangements are in charge of the Sands Funeral Furn-ishing company.

The death occurred on Tuesday of Richard Wrothall, aged 65. Deceased came originally from Yorkshire, England, but had been some time in this

Victoria Stock Exchange

Board Room 2, Pemberton Block Daily Session 10.30 a. m.

> Room Available for Company Meetings Terms moderate.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ALBION TRUST COMPANY, LIMITED.

TRUST COMPANY, LIMITED.

"TAKE NOTICE that an application will be made to the presiding Judge in the Supreme Court of British Columbia in Chambers on Monday, the ninth day of February, 1914, at the hour of 40.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the rectification of the register of the Company, and that a copy of the affidavits and other material to be used upon the return of the motion may be obtained by any party interested from the undersigned, and are on five with the Registrar of the above Court.

Dated this 19th day of January, 1914.

MeDIARMID, GAHAN & WHITE.

Solicitors for Albion Trust Company.

Bolicitors for Albion Trust Company Limited.

FIRE HOSE WANTED.

Bealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 3 p. m. on Friday. February 43, 1914, for 3,000 ft. of 25 in. Cotton Rubber Lined Fire Hose, with couplings and expansion rings. Specifications may be seen at the office of the City. Furchasing Agent, to whom all tenders must be addressed and marked on outside of envelope, Tender for Fire Hose, "Agent tender inust be accompanied by a marked cheque for 5 per cent. of the amount of the tender, shade payable to the City, Treasurer. The lowest or any tender, not necessarily accepted.

W. GALT.

City Purchasing Agent.

Victoria, B. C. Jan. 28, 1914.

AUTO FOR DEPUTY FIRE CHIEF.

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 2p, m, on Friday, February 13, 1914. For one automobile for the Deputy Fire Chef. specifications may be seen at the control of the City Furchas has Agend no whom all tenders must be accompanied by a marked on outside of envelope. "Tenders for Deputy Chief's Auto." Each tender must be accompanied by a marked cheque for 5 per cent, of the amount of the tender, payable to the City Treasurer. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. "City Purchasing Agent." Victoria, B. C., Jan. 29, 1914.

MOTOR HOSE WAGON.

Sealed tenders will be undersigned up to 3 p. February 13, 1914, for one Propeiled Hose Wagon for partment. Specifications the office of the City Puto whom all tenders mut W. GALT, Purchasing Agent.

B. C., Jan. 29, 1914.

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up took it is no Friday. February 13, 1914, for 1 Chief's, 1 Asst. Chief's, 4 Captains, 19 Lettenants, 2 Firemen's Uniforms. Specifications may be seen at the office of the City Purchasing Agent, 10 whom all tenders must be addressed, and not to Uniforms. Each tender must be accompanied by a marked of the conder, made payable to the City Purchasing Agent.

City Purchasing Agent.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 39, 1914.

Mrs. A. M. Christie and her daughter, Miss Maude Christie, leave on Saturday for Portland, Ore, for a stay of four months. Mrs. Christie's on is a student at the North Pacific college, in Portland. At the close of the term the family will return to their home in Victoria.

PASSES GOOD NIGHT.

Toronto, Jan. 39.—Sir George Ross is reported this morning as having a good night's rest. There is, no change from that of yesterday.

untry, and was a butcher by occ pation. He leaves one son, William Wrothall, and an unmarried daughter, Itsing in Prince Rupert, one son at Terrace, B. C., and a brother-in-law, Mr. Richmond, at Esquimalt. The Strong Close of New York Prices

Vigorous Buying in List With Conserved Strength in B. C. Copper and Inevitable Feeling on Close. chapel.

The funeral of the late Rev. Richard Hicks, of Sidney, took place this morning at Vancouver, interment being in the family plot.

The funeral of the late Leong Win will take place to-morrow morning at 10.30 from the Victoria Undertaking parlors and interment will be in the hinese cemetery.

WILL CONFER UPON TELEPHONE ISSUE

Omission of Clause From City's Private Bill Has Created **New Situation**

A solution of the difficulty with the telephone conduit system of securing easements for the wires is to be sought at a conference of the B. C. Telephone company's officials with the city officials on Monday, particularly with the legislative committee of the city ecuncil.

There were several conferences last year on the problem, and the outcome was an understanding whereby the city was to promote legislation at this ses sion to secure the registration of ease sion to secure the registration of easements. Section four of the private bill, as adopted last month, provided that in the event of the city corporation, exercising the powers of entry and passing a by-law expropriating the lands, should not be necessary for the city to secure the grant of such right. city to secure the grant of such right and easement, but the corporation wa tified copy of the by-law, accompanied by a plan certified by the city en-

This proposal was held to be arbi-trary, and the new council declined to entertain it, so that some new ar-rangement has to be provided, as the city in obligated under the agreement of 1910 to assist the company in re

ving its poles from the streets Moving its poles from the streets.

It was anticlpated when this clause was eliminated from the private bill that the telephone company would require some other guarantee, and therefore the conference of Monday is not unexpected.

special sub-committee A special sub-committee of the bridge committee met this morning in connection with the land-required for the Johnson street bridge. There will, it is feared, be delay in reaching a settlement, as one of the properties required is held by a syndicate of 15 people, only two of whom are resident by Victoria. in Victoria.

James Andrews, Head street, having onvalesced sufficiently after a serious operation, has been removed from St. Joseph's hospital to the residence of his son, George Andrews, 1941 Bay street, where he is making further pro-gress towards recovery.

FIREMEN'S UNIFORMS WANTED. Mrs. A. M. Christle and her daugh- B. C. Packers . A. Bell Tel.

SIX POINTS ADVANCE IN CANADIAN PACIFIC

ne scattered covering was in pro-

press and London was a fair buyer of our saues, but movements in this market have seen inspired domestically for the last lew days, and London has not been regarded as much of an index.

Should eastern railways be granted increases in revenues, through means of rate adjustments, then shippers such as the large industrial corporations will be forced to bear the burden, perhaps without compensation.

forced to bear the burden, perhaps without compensation.

It is this new angle of the rate situation
which has been largely responsible for
recent liquidation in Steet.

Vigorous buyling of Canadian Pacific
towards the latter end-of the session, the
stock gaining six points from last might's
close, and conspicuous support in Steet
and Union Pacific gave the list a strong
and healthy appearance, and advances
continued up to the close of the market.

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J. S. Rubber. Do., 1st pref. U. S. Speel Do., pref. Utah Copper Total sales, 550,200 shares. Money on calls 12 per cent. ADVANCES ON MONTREAL STOCK MARKET TO-DAY

Montreal; Jan. 20.—The general tone of the local market to-day was strong and advances were well held by the leaders. Canadian Pacific was the main feature, selling at 215. Canada Cottons, common. 24; Detroit, 72; 170, 32; to 32; Scotts, 73; Richelieu, 112 to 112; Macdonald opened at 173 and broke to 18; but rai-lied to 193 and closed at 185 on active trading, Quebec Rails were 153 to 162; Spanish River, 154. Bid. Asked

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LONDON MARKET. (By F. W. Stevenson & Co.) condon, Ján. 39.—Sentiment remained shaken and activity was witnessed in a domestic list. American issues betokened buoyancy, tile C. P. R. had a notable advance. Foreign bourses uniformly firm.

NEW YORK COTTON.

STANDARD LEAD SELLS ON VICTORIA 'CHANGE

Prices of the local stock exchange held firm and strong at the forenoon session, and, without manifesting any outstanding characteristic, feeling, at the close was meritable. Bidding was of an order to held confidence and demand attached to nearly all the list.

Standard Lead sold at the recent selling price lagt recorded, but interest was also focussed in Granby, which, white unchanged from yesterday, got stronger later in the day at outside markets on general good feeling prevailing.

B. C. Copper conserved its strength and International Coal gained two points as compared with Thursday.

Trend of foreign markets for the day lent further stimulus to those avowedly builtsh on security prices, and monetary conditions are daily improving.

Balfour Parents.

Bid. Asked. 1.09 125.00 100.00 125.00

Balfour Patents, pref Blackbird Syndicate Blac 140.00 4.00 Granby
International Coal & Coke
Lucky Jim Zinc
McGillivray Coal
Nugget Gold
Portland Canal
Portland Canal
Pacific Loan
Rambber Cariboo
Red Cliff
Standard Lead
Snowstorm
Stewart M. & D
Slocan Star
S. S. Island Creamey
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DECLINES MOVE IN EVIDENCE FOR WHEAT

Winnipeg, Jan. 30.—Wheat on the whole had a weak undertone and declines were more in evidence than rallies. A further decline in eorn partly accounted for this, but very heavy selling by houses with American connections was the important bearish factor. These sales were estimated by a reliable source at not less than 3,000,000 bushels.

There is nothing new in the cash trade situation. These

2,000,000 bushes.

There is nothing new in the cash frade situation. There is a fair demand but little offering. Receipts are light, snow and cold weather having had some effect on transportation. Inspections Thursday were 215 cars and in sight for inspection day 55 cars.

American receipts:

rican receipts: Minneapolis, 214
Duluth, 21 cars; and Chicago, 52
Deliveries through the clearing
were: Oats, 2,500 bushels.

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Flax-No. 1 N. W. C., 1254; No. 2 N. W. TACTICS OF WHEAT

BEARISH ALL DAY

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
Chicago, Jan. 20.—As a result of day's transactions in wheat the May, price was a split lower on last trades, and July it lower. The new crop month was relatively the firmest most of the day for the yery good relation that the trade is held in check on the selling side of that month by teach of a cold wave scare. The cold each of a cold wave scare. The cold each of a cold wave scare. The cold each of a cold wave scare is little doubt that selling pressure and a break in worn had much to do with the easier wheat market. Certain local bear inferests finding the, trade dull and the corn market heavy proceeded to sell the wheat futures on the dip near the close. A half-cent change in the price one way or the other cuts little figure as the leaders are studying the situation for more important transactions.

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MEDALS ARE AWARDED.

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BANKERS TRUST SUIT HEARD IN VANCOUVER

Vernon Residents Sue for Return of Land and City Lots

Vancouver, Jan. 30.-Franklin

Cook, late manager and vice-presider of the Bankers Trust, Ltd., and now prisoner at New Westminster jail, w an interested witness this morning ? a trial in the Supreme court in which brokers of Vernon, are suing for th return of over 1,300 acres of land in the Osovoos district of Yale and ter perty was given by the plaintiffs in July, 1912, in return for \$80,000 worth of stock in the Bankers Trust company, Shortly after the deal was completed the real estate was transferred to the Title Holding Company, Ltd., a sub sidiary corporation of the Bankers Trust Ltd, Shortly after that was done the Bankers Trust company went into liquidation. As a result of the liquida-tion the managing director of the com-

been previously in the treasury department of the government. He disclaimed, however, that he was regarded as a great financial authority.

"What made you undertake to buy this stock?" asked counsel.

"I took Cook's representations as to the standing of the company."

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"And if Cook took some one else's representations, he would be no more to blame morally than you?" asked Mr. Maclean,

"I'm not answering for Cook. I addit that I was satisfied," replied Mr.

retain the balance.

The case is being heard by Mr. Jus-The case is tice Murphy.

EASTER ISLAND WOMEN NUMEROUS AND UGLY

The seven sailors arrived here yes-terday with a plain tale that puts to the blush all the adornments of fancy the blush all the adornments of fancy printed since Capt. Benson, master of the Eldorado, first-brought word how he had left the better part of his crew on the island because the delights of life there had wenned them from all desire for civilization.

With one voice the seven proclaim that they were not married either by

that they were not married, either by native or any other rites, that nothing

MEDALS ARE AWARDED.

London, Jan. 80.—The lord mayor o 67 674 682 682 London, Jan. 30.—The lord mayor of 583 68 684 684 Liverpool to-day publicly awarded 584 684 684 medals to Capt. O'Reilly, Chief Officer Russell and Third Officer McPhee, of the Canadian Pacific liner Montcalm, for rescuing the crew of the brig Evelyn.

> NEW YORK CURB PRICES (By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

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Beaver	31
3. C. Copper 2	34
Buffalo 11	2
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RADTOUS SCENES IN JNION PARLIAMENT

tatives Discussion on De-

them stock in exchange for real estate. He said that Cook represented the Bankers Trust to be a safe, sound and solvent financial concern with assets in the neighborhood of \$400,000 and making large profits.

"He showed me a balance sheet and told me that on the previous year the company had paid 22 per cent, dividend to its shareholders," he said. Under 'cross-examination by H. A. Maclean, K.C., for the defence, the witness admitted that he had been for two years the chairman of the finance committee of the town of Vernon and had been previously in the treasury departs.

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Time after time the labor members in vehement language, and amid a great uproar, tried to debate what they termed "the crime of kidnapping citizens," but the speaker refused to allow them to continue: The session closed with the discussion still in progress.

gress.

BLOWING UP WRECK

San Francisco, Jan. 30.-Work of mit that I was satisfied," replied Mr. Mutrie.

Later the witness admitted that he had agreed that the Bankers Trust was to sell \$50,000 of the stock on his behalf, and that he and his brother would retain the balance.

San Francisco, Jan. 30.—Work of destroying the wreck of the schooner J. H. Lunsmann, in the harbor here, was begun yesterday when 200 pounds of dynamite was exploded to remove the forward portion of the deck. After the Lunsmann's cargo of coal has been removed from the ways and the search proceeds the school of t been removed from the submerged vessel, the wreck will be blown to

EARL OF ANTRIM'S SON WEDS MISS E. W. A. JONES

San Francisco, Jan. 30.—Let nobody, looking for a native wife and an easy life in the South seas go to Easter island. This is the advice of seven prosaic seafarers, the last of the castaway crew of the abandoned schooner Eldorado.

The seven sallors arrived here yes ble bridge for Chicago shortly to join the seven sallors arrived here yes.

The young couple will then start or

MOTHER! IF CHILD'S **TONGUE IS COATED**

Smuts Blocks Labor Represen-IIf Cross, Feverish, Constipated, Give "California Sryup

the Bankers Trust company to the liquidation. As a result of the liquidation in the managing director of the company, with one of his co-directors, was sentenced to prison-for conspiracy and fraud.

In the action before the court to-day the plaintiffs claim that they were the victims of fraud and misrepresentation of the part of officials of the Bankers' Trust Company, Ltd., which led them to part with their real estate. He showed me a balance sheet and solvent financial concern with assets.

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belated honeymoon trip, winding up on his fruit ranch in British Columbia The Hon. Augustus is at present the guest of Their Royal Highnesses Duke and Duchess of Connaught

TAFT ENJOYED VISIT **LEAVES FOR OTTAWA**

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 30.—Ex-President' W. H. Taft left Toronto this morning for Ottawa, where he will address the Canadian club to-morrow. While in the capital he may be the guest of the Duke of Connaught. Sir John Gibson drove Mr. Taft to the sta-tion, where a number of gentlemen had assembled to bid him good-bye. Mr. Taft expressed his warmest appreciation for his reception in Toronto and referred to the Canadian club banquet as a "grand finale."

FIRST BISHOP OF EDMONTON.

Edmonton, Jan. 30.—Archdeacon H. A. Gray, M.A., of the Calgary dio-cese, was elected bishop of the new diocese of Edmonton vesterday after-



fining duties and chronic disorders exert the weakening influence which allows tubercular germs the mastery. The greatest treatment that science affords is courage, rest, sunshine and Scott's Emulsion. Scott's Emulsion contains pure cod liver oil to clarify and enrich the blood, strengthen the lungs, rebuild wasted tissue and fortify the resistive forces to throw off disease germs. Strengthen YOUR lungs with Scott's Emulsion—its benefits

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who introduced the lecturer for the

Mr. Bursill opened his remarks by apologizing beforehand for any brief excursions he might take away from

tween the artist and the novelist. Mr

Bursill has a fund of anecdotes where-with to adorn his lectures, and on this eccasion, as on his first appearance before the Dickens club, he proved

the lecture Miss Bocock entertained the audience with a song, while Mrs. Lort presided at the plane before the

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W. J. Pendray & Sons, Ltd., Incorporated as Joint Stock Company

ormed under the old and well known name of W. J. Pendray & Sons, Ltd., to carry out the agreement for the taking over of the soap-making business. The chief objects of the new con- February 28. ness. The chief objects of the heavy of the cern, which are capitalized at \$200,000, are given in the current issue of the has been appointed a stenographer in the education office in this city, and the control of th

"To purchase, acquire and take over all that part of the undertaking of W. J. Fendray & Sons, Limited (now Bri-tish America Paint Company, Limited); comprising and including and relating to the manufacture and vending of scap and soap products, and including the soap products, and including the soap business carried on at one time by William Joseph Pendray under the name of British Columbia Soap Works, and latterly by the said W. J. Pendray & Sons, Limited (now British America Paint Company, Limited), together with all the properties assets. gether with all the properties, assets, in connection redits rights benefits and advantages toher, 1913, between W. J. Pendray & Sons, Llimted (new British America Sons, Llimited (now British America)
Paint Company, Limited), Amelia J.
Pendray, John Carl Pendray, Herbert
Jeffree Pendray and Roy Trevena Pendray, and Royal Crown Soaps, Limited, and to carry into effect this agreement with the modifications referred to in certain special resolutions of the sharebolders of W. J. Pendray, A. Sons.
Treated Alberta is applying for permission to take three hundred cubic feet of water per second from Sproat lake and to be used for domestic and power purposes.

The city of Alberni is applying for permission to take three hundred cubic feet of water per second from Sproat lake and to be used for domestic and power purposes. iolders of W. J. Pendray & Sons noiders of W. J. Pendray & Sons, Limited, passed as an extraordinary resolution at a meeting of the share-holders held on the fifth day of De-cember, 1913, and confirmed as a spe-cial resolution at a meeting of the shareholders held on the twentieth day of December, 1913, and with or with-out further or other modifications.

of December, 1913, and with or without further or other modifications."

The company gets all the other usual
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the purpose of carrying on the business
of making and vending soan; and soap
products, perfumes, tolls, requisites,
oils, washing powders, boxes and cases
of pager, wood, and metal and of paper, wood and metal, and as printers, color printers, publishers, sta-tioners, candle-makers and collectors of flowers and perfume-producing vege

ation.

The business of Alvo von Alvensleen in this city and Vancouver has

Amateur Athletic Club, Earth Trust J. Campbell, Northern Interior Build-ing & Loan Association, Peace River Properties, Saxonia Gold Mines (nonersonal liability), Tourist Hotels Co Willow River Lumber Co. A licens Willow River Lumber Co., A license as an extra provincial company is granted to the Canadian Northern Town Pro-perties Co., incorporated in Ontario. In addition to the appoisiment of a new warden of the provincial jail here,

nentioned in another column, the Ga zette announces the appointment Peter E. Wilson, Craibrook, to be a court of revision and appeal for the Fort Steele assessment district in the place of George W. F. Carter, who has resigned. In order to provide for the delay thus caused there has been a postponement of the time for the con pletion of the duties of the court unt

a similar position in the governmen

agency in that city.

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credits, rights, benefits and advantages ance of the municipalities of Point of every kind whatsoever agreed to be purchased or taken over by the Royal Crown Soaps, Limited, under agreement made the twenty-first day of Octors and the municipal hall in the Crown Month of the country between W. I. Podday A. Delite Country between W. I. Podday A. Delite Country between the country first session at the municipal hall in

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The formation of a farmers, institut on Texada Island has been authorized by the minister of agriculture, and the first meeting for organization will be held in the Gillis Bay schoolhouse of Saturday, February 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Andrew str from which place he moved to Huro

MARRIED FIFTY YEARS.

Many Congratulations Received by Mr. and Mrs. Duncan at Pleasant

Victoria West, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding last Wednesday evening. Mr. Stewart was born in 1836 in Huntingdon, Quebec, county, Ontario, in 1857. In 1864 he was married to Miss Eliza Kaine, of Seaforth, Ontario, and in 1882 they The business of Alvo von Alvensleben in this city and Vancouver has been turned into a joint stock concern with a capital of \$1,100,000, and with the head office situated in Vancouver has the Alvensleben in this city and Vancouver has the Alvensleben turned into a joint stock concern with a capital of \$1,100,000, and with the head office situated in Vancouver has the Alvensleben in the stock concern with a capital of \$1,100,000, and with the head office situated in Vancouver has the Alvensleben from the mission, on what is now Dustrated in Vancouver has the Alvensleben from the mission, on what is now Dustream to the mission, on what is now Dustrated in Vancouver to the find the present city, three miles are the story of the play is woven about a group of incidents which take place in a vicarage in East Brenton, near London, and portrays the intimate life of the family of an English country vicar.

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Very special value in Ladies' White Cot-ton Combinations, made of strong white cotton and perfect fitting, trimmed linen lace \$1.40 Ladies' White Crepe Combinations, fitted style, finished with string linen lace and

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broidery beading ,and tucked flounce; others in fancy styles. Specially priced at \$3.20, \$2.80, \$2.40

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lishman, erected the first teat on the site of the present city, three miles